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DAILY GAZETTE.

THE LATEST NEWS.

Condensed Telegrams from All Quarters.

—Three inches of snow fell at Omaha on Thursday.

—Chamberlain's majority for Governor of South Carolina is 16,667.

—Richard & Vandusen's block at Tara, Canada, has been burned. Loss $30,000.

—A dispatch from Fort Garry says sixty discharged soldiers left for home on Thursday.

—The new Boston postoffice is nearly completed, and within a few weeks will be formally opened.

—David Thompson, of Ohio, has been appointed interpreter to the legation of the United States in Japan.

—Lansant Kensler, a noted half-breed murderer and outlaw, was hung at Cheyenne, Wy., on Thursday.

—The Charleston Board of Health has passed a resolution declaring it perfectly safe for strangers to visit that city.

—Joseph Stuart, of the firm of J. & J. Stuart & Co., bankers in New York, died last Wednesday evening of apoplexy.

—Dr. Wevil, shot by Christian Hansen in Philadelphia, now says the pistol was accidentally discharged during a scuffle.

—In the pools for the $6,000 trotting race at San Francisco on Saturday, Occident sells $100, Fullerton $65, and Sam Purdy $60 to $70.

—A letter from Havana, of the 14th, says rumors are in circulation that Captain General Concha is about to resign or be superseded.

—Two more men, Mormons, appeared before the Third District Court of Utah Wednesday and paid their fines for illegal voting at the last election.

—General Ord received four thousand dollars from the branch society at Cleveland, Ohio, on Thursday, for the grasshopper sufferers at Nebraska.

—The mill and wagon shop of H. K. Cowles & Bro., in the town of Scott, Brown county, Wis., were destroyed by fire on Wednesday morning. Loss $6,000.

—In a fight in Montreal on Thursday morning among some recently arrived Communists from Paris, one man was killed and four or five others severely wounded.

—The Nevada Legislature will stand: Senate—Republicans, 18; Democrats, 7. Assembly—Democrats, 16; Republicans, 31; Independents, 3; Republican majority on joint ballot, 21.

—At St. John, N. B., on Thursday morning, Kirk & Daniels' mill was destroyed by fire. Loss $40,000; insured for $20,000. One hundred and fifty men are thrown out of employment.

—Prof. March, accompanied by Major Burt and a detachment of cavalry, left Red Cloud Agency for the bone fields on the 16th. The weather was very severe, with considerable snow.

—The State Temperance Alliance and State Temperance League of California met in joint Convention in San Francisco on Thursday for the purpose of forming a temperance political party.

—The Democrats of Tennessee celebrated the recent political victories in Nashville on Thursday. A number of speeches were made. A drizzling rain interfered somewhat with the proceedings.

—The commission for the examination of the subject of an inter-oceanic canal will meet in Washington on the 30th inst., and examine the different reports presented, and determine the practibility of the work.

—Gabe Bebee was arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Emmet D. Craig in New Orleans, yesterday, charged with altering election returns from West Baton Rouge. He gave bail to appear for examination today.

—A dispatch from Monroe, La., states that upon the release by Judge Trimble of Marshal Seelye, at Vienna, he was arrested immediately by the United States Marshal, on a charge of embezzlement, and sent to New Orleans.

—The Indianapolis *Journal* publishes the original of the missing poem in Fitz Greene Halleck's life written under the assumed name of "Ellen A. F. Campbell," with the real name of the author and an explanation of the whole affair.

—Admiral Almy reports that the United States steamer Saranac remains at La Paz, Mexico, to protect American citizens and interests, many robberies and murders being committed and the authorities taking no steps to arrest the culprits.

—A telegram from Beaver, Utah, says Bishop Wm. H. Dame was arrested at his residence at Parawan, Iron county, Utah, by a Deputy United States Marshal, on an indictment for murder in connection with the Mountain Meadow massacre.

—The hardest fought political contest known in Chattanooga, Tenn., for years, came off on Thursday at the municipal election. James, Republican, was elected Mayor by 217 majority, a gain of 75 over Maynard's vote in the State election.

—A considerable number of persons on the Kansas frontier are in great need, and require immediate relief. An appeal has been issued to the people of Eastern Kansas and of the Eastern States asking for contributions of money, food and clothing.

—A commission consisting of General Sherman, Mrs. Farragut and Secretary Robeson, to select a statue of Admiral Farragut, have examined models by Horatio Stone, Vinnie Ream and others, but will not reach a conclusion for several days.

—In the case of John McCarty, charged with burning the Memphis & Louisville Railroad shops in Memphis about a year ago, which has been on trial for a week past, the jury failed to agree. The penalty for this crime under the statute is death.

—Albert R. Field, a well known citizen of Euclaire, Wis., was arrested four miles from St. Louis on Thursday, charged with the abduction of Ralph L. Tabers, a boy nine years old, belonging to David M. Tabers, a prominent lawyer of Redwing, Minn.

—A Presidential proclamation accepts for the citizens of the United States the jurisdiction of certain tribunals in the Ottoman dominions and Egypt, and also the law of the Porte ceding the right of foreigners to possess unmovable property in said dominions.

—The State Contesting Board, which has been in session for several weeks at Frankfort, Ky., to examine evidence and hearing testimony in the case, decided that Thomas L. Jones was ineligible to the office of Clerk of Court of Appeals, and decided the office vacant.

—The daughter of Wm. Sharon, a San Francisco banker, was married on Thursday night by Archbishop Alemany to F. G. Newlands, an attorney. A brilliant assemblage was present. The wedding present from the father of the bride was one million dollars.

—The jury in the case of T. T. Brooks, President of the Merchants' National Bank of Petersburg, Va., on trial in the United States Circuit Court before Judges Bond and Hughes, rendered a verdict of "guilty of embezzlement and false entries." The sentence was reserved.

—Gen. Bradley and Major Stanton, paymaster, returned to Fort Laramie on Thursday. They report everything quiet at the Red Cloud and Spotted Tail agencies. Annuity goods have been issued to the Indians. About four hundred lodges of Kishochos and Winneconnges have gone South to hunt on the Republican river.

—In the Boston Council, on Thursday night, after spirited debate, a committee was appointed to investigate the charges made by certain gentlemen that there were schemes of robbery and fraud in the plan for supplying the city with water from Sudbury river.

—On Thursday afternoon James Manning, a boy seventeen years old, was returning to Columbus, Ohio, from hunting with a companion, and was in the act of climbing a fence, when, by accident, he fell, and a full load of shot was discharged from his gun and lodged in his neck, killing him instantly.

—The annual meeting of the Freedmen's Society of the M. E. Church was held in Philadelphia on Thursday. The report gives a list of the schools established in different sections of the country, and says of 3,000 pupils in the schools, more than 1,000 are preparing to assist in the elevation of their race by teaching school or preaching the Gospel.

FIRST EDITION.

NEW YORK.

The Beecher-Tilton Suit.

'Longshoremen Receiving the Old Wages.

NEW YORK, November 19, 1874.

Meeting of Railway Men.

The Board of Railway Commissioners for the associated trunk lines had an informal meeting yesterday, but in the absence of reports of the Baltimore conference and the Toledo railway meeting of Tuesday, no definite results were accomplished. One of the Commissioners stated that there was no probability of their announcing new rates before next month, when a small advance would probably be made.

'Longshoremen's Wages.

The French Steamship Co., the first to propose a reduction of wages of the 'longshoremen, is again paying the old rates, so that their steamers may be made ready for sea on Saturday.

The Atlas line begun to pay the old rates this morning, and are unloading their vessel, which arrived on Monday last.

One hundred and twenty Italians crossed the ferry to the Cunard wharves at Jersey City this morning, and were placed to work unloading the steamship Java. The Italians, while on their way to the ferry, had a guard of fifty policemen.

A convention of members of the 'Longshoremen's Union was held this evening, at which it was stated that there seemed to be a desire on the part of the steamship companies to effect a compromise with the men on a strike, and especially, it was said, was this the case with the White Star Line, as they feared that their steamer would not be ready for sea by Saturday. Resolutions were adopted pledging the members of the Union to accept no compromise with the companies other than the full rate wages demanded by the 'longshoremen.

The Tilton-Beecher Suit.

Judges McCue and Reynolds have rendered decisions in the matter of the appeal from the order made at the special term of the City Court of Brooklyn denying the application of the counsel for the defence in the Tilton-Beecher suit to compel the plaintiff to furnish a bill of particulars. Judge Reynolds affirms the decision of Judge Nelson denying the defendant a bill of particulars. Judge McCue holds that the defendant is entitled to a bill of particulars, and that by granting it the plaintiff's interests would not be impaired.

THE ARKANSAS MUDDLE.

Judge Poland's Views on the Contest for the Gubernatorial Chair—Inquiry into Senator Dorsey's Election—Smith and Wheeler's Whereabouts Still Unknown.

ST. LOUIS, November 19.—Judge Poland, Chairman of the Congressional Committee to investigate Arkansas affairs, Judge Wilshire, member of Congress elect from the Little Rock district, and Col. Hynes, the present member from that district, arrived here yesterday, and several interviews with them are published, but they differ in some material respects. In one account Judge Poland is asserted to have said that Garland, the Governor recently elected, is trying to act fairly, and Garland, though not possessed of a very moral force himself, and being surrounded by a strong element of, perhaps, a vicious sort, is trying to do well. The Baxter faction sustains the Garland Government, while the Brooks men sustain Lieutenant Governor Smith. The programme of the Brooks party evidently is, in the event of the Federal Government favoring Smith and seating him in the Gubernatorial chair, to press the Brooks Baxter suit, which is still pending in court, in hopes of reseating Brooks as the legally elected Governor. If, however, Smith is seated as Governor by Federal force, he will have to be maintained there by the same power; but Judge Poland does not think such action will be taken. Smith, he says, is no more Governor than Baxter was, and he thinks the authority of the latter was gained by fraud. Smith is a fire-brand, and for his sake and the sake of the State it is a good thing he has fled. His claims to the Governorship are worthless, and there is little likelihood of their being made to appear of any value to the President.

LITTLE ROCK, November 19.—A joint resolution was introduced in the Senate to-day, and passed to the second reading, raising a committee of three in the Senate and five in the House to inquire into the manner of the election of Senator Dorsey, with power to send for persons and papers. The resolution will undoubtedly pass, and the whole matter will receive a thorough investigation.

Everything is quiet here and elsewhere throughout the State. Nothing has yet been heard of the whereabouts of Smith or Wheeler.

Louisiana Election Returns.

NEW ORLEANS, November 19.—The Returning Board found the St. James Parish returns correct until reaching poll seven, which showed 100 more votes for Bovee, the Independent Republican, for Senate, and others, than was accredited them by the tally lists in the hands of the Conservative Committee. The latter protested against the count being received, on the ground of fraudulency. A member of the committee presented a statement in writing showing that he could prove that the returns from St. James had been taken out of the hands of the Secretary of State after the original delivery. He disclaimed any intention of charging the Secretary of State with knowingly committing any wrong, but could prove that the returns had been so removed.

Considerable excitement ensued, when a second return from the same poll was discovered, agreeing with the statement made by the Conservatives, this proving that the returns had been tampered with. The latter returns were counted by the Board and the protest withdrawn.

Secretary of State Deslonde, in a communication to the Returning Board, referring to the charges that the St. James Parish returns had been tampered with while in his custody, says: This office has not now, nor has it ever had, the charge or custody of any parish returns of the late election, except that of Orleans, as directed by law, and these remain in the same sealed package as delivered to me.

A member of the Conservative Committee stated that information of St. James irregularities came from Geo. E. Bovee, who said he had access to the office of the Secretary of State in connection with said returns.

The counsel for Mr. Gla (colored), Republican Senatorial candidate, called for the returns of Carroll Parish, alleging that the returns were not made out correctly, and that his client received five hundred and thirty-three votes more than were shown in the official statement.

A member of the Conservative Committee protested against counting the returns from Carroll, on the grounds of the election having been illegally conducted and of the returns having been tampered with after reaching New Orleans; that they had been in the hands of Mr. Benham (white), Republican Senatorial candidate, who was seen to have the tally sheet spread out on a table, upon which were pens and ink.

The Carroll parish returns were laid over till next week, and the Board resumed the city count.

Woman's National Temperance Convention.

CLEVELAND, O., November 19.—The Woman's National Temperance Convention reassembled this morning. Committees were appointed on business, on a circular letter to the women of other countries, and on a memorial to Congress. Pending the reports of the committee, verbal reports from each State, detailing the condition, progress and prospects of the work, were presented.

At the afternoon session the Committee on Resolutions presented a very lengthy preamble and quite a long series of resolutions, which were at once taken up and earnestly debated upon. Resolutions were adopted pledging all friends of the cause to an increased zeal, intense in proportion to the intensity of the opposition, protesting against the holding of public office by intemperate men, requesting the President of the United States and all public officers to dispense with the use of wine at private houses or at banquets, urging physicians to use care in prescribing the use of stimulants, approving of the bill now before Congress providing for a commission to inquire into the effects of the liquor traffic, and inviting all temperance women to unite with the league in its mission in the country.

Devotional exercises were held and addresses delivered by a number of leading delegates.

The Empire Disaster.

NEW ORLEANS, November 19.—Divers were at work yesterday evening removing freight from the wreck of the Empire. The cabin in the meantime broke loose and the bodies entangled in it were doubtless swept away. Among these are included the Kemper family, all the other women, cabin-boys, pantry waiters, etc. An investigation was had before Inspector Moffatt, but nothing definite has been arrived at as to the real cause of the sinking. The diver who went down into the hull reports that it was much broken, the hog-chains being wrenched completely out of the boat, leaving a large hole, which must have been under water, and caused the vessel with her heavy freight to sink almost immediately. The boat is said to have been bumped during the night by incoming boats, causing a great strain.

THE CAPITAL.

WASHINGTON, November 19, 1874.

Report of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

The report of Commissioner of Internal Revenue Douglass shows that the receipts in the last fiscal year were $102,644,747, or $2,644,747 in excess of the estimate. The estimate of the current fiscal year is $107,000,000. The total drawback on spirits, tobacco and general merchandise for the past fiscal year was $52,346, and for 1874 $35,495. No spirits were exported for drawback during the last year, and the quantity of tobacco was very slight compared with the amount exported in bond. The amounts refunded for taxes illegally collected were $618,667 in 1873, and $239,749 in 1874. The receipts from distilled spirits in the fiscal year 1874 were $49,444,090, a net decrease of $2,655,281. The receipts from special taxes on rectifiers and dealers show an increase of $799,413. The production of spirits during the year was 69,572,062 taxable gallons. The seizures amounted in value to $476,362. The amount of distilled spirits remaining in warehouse September 30th for the payment of tax was 12,577,096 gallons, a decrease of 3,240,613 from June 30th. The amount remaining for export was reduced in the same time from 2,445,011 gallons to 1,047,714 gallons.

The annual receipts from all sources relating to fermented liquors for the year were $9,304,679, and the receipts from tobacco in all forms $32,242,875, a decrease of $1,143,427, due to the closing out of bonded warehouses in the early part of the year and the effect of the panic. From November to the present time there has been a steady increase of collections over any previous corresponding period. The largest amount collected in any quarter was the first quarter of the present fiscal year—$10,102,754. The receipts in the fiscal year from this source are expected to aggregate $36,000,000.

The production of tobacco for the last fiscal year was 118,548,619 pounds, an increase over the preceding year of 2,107,684 pounds. The number of cigars, cheroots &c., on which taxes were collected, was 1,886,697,498, or 79,662,852 in excess of the previous year. The quantity of tobacco removed without the payment of tax for exportation for the fiscal year was 19,890,927 pounds, an excess of nearly three quarters of a million pounds over the preceding year.

The Commissioner considers it indispensibly necessary to control the movement of raw or leaf tobacco by the continuance of the "leaf" clauses of the act of June 6, 1872.

The receipts from other sources were: Bank deposits, savings banks' capital, and bank circulation, $3,387,100; adhesive stamps, $6,136,844; penalties, $364,216; articles and occupations formerly taxed, but now exempt, $764,880.

The Commissioner extols the working of the system of abolishing assessorships, and leaving the whole matter with collectors, securing more prompt payment and a larger amount of tax. The tax against banks and bankers realized $3,000,734, an increase of $403,013 over the previous year, notwithstanding the financial disasters of the fall of 1873, and is largely due to the new system of assessment, the results of which are still more apparent in the rise from collections from special taxes in the last quarter of the fiscal year of 1872, when they amounted to $5,303,539, to $5,855,581 in the last quarter of the fiscal year of 1874.

The Commissioner suggests that the Bureau of Engraving and Printing hereafter, upon his requisition, furnish all stamps necessary under the law, except proprietary and documentary, and asks a positive provision from Congress upon the subject. Should Congress wish to abolish stamps on bank checks, perfumery, cosmetics, patent medicines, matches, etc., which yielded last year $6,136,844, but still be of the opinion that the revenue cannot be diminished with safety, the Comissioner says an equivalent could be had by increasing the tax on spirits ten cents per gallon, which would yield $6,957,000, or four cents per pound on tobacco, which would yield $4,612,000.

The Safe Burglary Case.

Owing to the sickness of Mr. Davidge, of the counsel, the safe burglary trial was adjourned till to-morrow. Whitley was allowed by the Judge to go to his home till next Tuesday, there being sickness in his family.

WEATHER REPORT.

OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER,
UNITED STATES SIGNAL SERVICE,
PITTSBURGH, Pa., November 19, 1874.

Local Observations.

Time.	Bar.	Ther.	Humidt.	Wind.	Weather.
7 A. M.	30.34	35	70	N. E.	Fair.
2 P. M.	30.19	41	57	N. E.	Cloudy.
9 P. M.	29.99	35	70	N. E.	Cloudy.

Mean Barometer, 30.12.
Mean Thermometer, 36.
Highest Thermometer, 43.
Lowest Thermometer, 35.

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Daily Bulletin.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATORY,
PITTSBURGH, Nov. 19, 1874, 10:48 P. M.

The weather at Cairo was cloudy, thermometer 38; Cincinnati, light rain, thermometer 43; Davenport, Iowa, light snow, thermometer 19; Fort Gibson, cloudy, thermometer 28; Fort Sully, D. T., fair, thermometer 25; Indianapolis, light snow, thermometer 36; Keokuk, clearing, thermometer 22; La Crosse, cloudy, thermometer 22; Leavenworth, cloudy, thermometer 18; Louisville, light rain, thermometer 44; Memphis, cloudy, thermometer 44; Nashville, Tenn., cloudy, thermometer 48; Omaha, Neb., cloudy, thermometer 19; Pittsburgh, cloudy, thermometer 35; Shreveport, cloudy, thermometer 43; St. Louis, Mo., cloudy, thermometer 32; St. Paul, cloudy, thermometer 17; Vicksburg, Miss., cloudy, thermometer 52; Yankton, D. T., cloudy, thermometer 20; North Platte, clear, thermometer 18.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., 1 A. M., Nov. 20, 1874.

Probabilities for To-Day.

For New England, the Middle State and the lower lake region, increasing cloudiness, with easterly or southerly winds on the coast, falling barometer, no decided change in temperature, and light rain or snow in the last named districts.

Episcopal Convocation of Northeastern Ohio.

CLEVELAND, November 19.—The Episcopal Convocation of Northeastern Ohio met in this city yesterday. Rev. Dr. Bolles, of Cleveland, was elected President. The following resolution was presented, but its consideration was postponed until the next meeting:

Resolved, That this Convocation request the next Diocese Convention to return to the old missionary system of the Diocese of Ohio.

STATE BREVITIES.

WAYNESBURG, Greene county, has a Public Reading Room now.

LAMBERSON, a constable tried at Pottsville for the shooting of one L'Velle, has been acquitted.

"BUSTED, BY THUNDER," is the way the Oil City *Derrick* describes the business situation in the Oil Regions.

THOSE Altoona gentlemen who spend their Sundays in Hollidaysburg, should learn how to behave on the streets, or stay at home.—*Hollidaysburg Register.*

THERE is said to be over thirteen millions of bushels of coal lying in the pools of the Monongahela river, waiting for a sufficient raise in the river for shipment south.

A PERFECTLY formed pullet in Warren county is covered with a heavy silky suit of red hair instead of feathers. The pullet's mother has hitherto sustained a good character.

A NEW passenger station is in course of erection at Millwood, Westmoreland county. A large hotel and a number of dwelling houses are also being built in the same thriving little borough.

ABOUT two weeks ago John B. Wagonhurst, of Kultztown, while deer hunting in Luzerne county, was shot in the leg above the knee by his dog tripping over his gun, which was lying on a log. He died from the effects of the wound a few days since.

THE New Castle *Gazette* says that the growth of that city may be seen from the following figures. In 1840 the population of New Castle was 611, in 1850 it was 1614, in 1860 it was 1882, and in 1870 it was 6,164. The population of New Castle is now between 10,000 and 12,000.

WE learn that four children of Mr. Wm. Doak, of South Strabane township, have died within the last ten days, of the fell destroyer, diptheria, which seems to have introduced itself into some parts of this county. Two of Mr. Doak's children, (one but a few days old) were buried in the same coffin on Monday last. The bereaved family have the sincere sympathy of a large circle of friends.—*Washington Observer.*

A MR. FRANK POTTS, of Warwick, Chester county, called an evening or two ago on a physician at or near Pughtown, and said: "Doctor, should any one call upon you this evening to have his arm dressed and a ball extracted from it, you can take it for granted that I put that ball there. The fellow attempted to rob me on the highway." Mr. Potts drove off, and was scarcely out of sight, when the highwayman came to get his arm dressed, and to the surprise of the doctor he found him to be a neighbor.

—Jonathan K. Gapin, through his attorneys, has filed in the United States District Court in Indianapolis, a bill in equity against the Board of Trustees of the Wabash and Erie Canal. The complainant prays the Court to decree that the canal and its appurtenances and lands be sold in such manner and on such terms as the Court may decree best for the interests of those entitled to share in the proceeds thereof, and so as to bring the highest price therefor. The defendants have put in an appearance. The case will not be disposed of till the December term of Court.

SECOND EDITION.

FOREIGN.

The Carlists Again Besieging Irun.

Destructive Hurricane in the West Indies.

King Coffee of Ashantee Deposed.

An African Town Captured by Egyptians.

Fatal Steamboat Disaster on the Clyde.

GERMANY.

The Bank Bill.

BERLIN, November 19.—In consequence of the defeat of the Government in the Reichstag yesterday, on the proposition to refer the bank bill to a committee, the majority of the Reichstag will only nominate as members of the committee Deputies favorable to the Imperial Bank, instead of giving all parties an opportunity to be represented.

BERLIN, November 19—*Evening.*—The Reichstag this afternoon, by a unanimous vote, re-elected Herr Farkenbeck as President.

It is now denied that the vote of yesterday, by which the bank bill was referred to a committee, was a Government defeat. The result is said to have been actually in accordance with the wishes of the Government, which sought to bring a pressure of the majority to bear to induce the Federal Council to change its attitude in regard to the bill under consideration.

Count von Arnim's Case.

The Kammergericht, State Court for the consideration of Government cases, has disallowed the protests of Count von Arnim against the refusal of the Court which released him from his first imprisonment to refund him his bail, and also against his second arrest. The Count is allowed to take walks of one hour daily in the company of a policeman.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Catholic Clergy.

LONDON, November 19.—The object of the journey of the English Bishops to Rome is to obtain permission to pursue an independent course in case the British Government should seek to restrict the liberty of action of the Catholic clergy. They will represent to the Pope that they wish to respect the laws of England, and cannot blindly accept such regulations as are imposed on continental Bishops.

Classes on Railways.

LONDON, November 20.—A meeting of the directors of the Northwestern, Great Northern, Northeastern, Great Western, Lancashire & Yorkshire, and Manchester & Sheffield railways was held yesterday. It was resolved that the running of three classes of carriages be continued, and that fares for first and second-class passengers be fixed at the same rate as charged by the Midland Railway.

Fatal River Disaster.

LONDON, November 20, 5:30 A. M.—A boat belonging to A. M. S. Aurora was run down in the clyde yesterday and seventeen men drowned.

A Royal Baptism.

The infant son of Duke of Edinburgh will be baptized at Buckingham Palace on Monday next. The Queen, Empress of Russia, Prince and Princess of Wales, Czarowitch and Grand Duke Alexis will be present.

AFRICA.

A King Deposed.

LONDON, November 19.—Advices from Cape Coast Castle say it was rumored there that King Coffee, of Ashantee, had been deposed, and was succeeded by his nephew. This change would have the effect of uniting all the tribes in a friendly footing.

A Town Captured by Egyptians.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 19.—An Arabic paper says a force of Egyptians has captured Darfour, Africa, and killed the Sultan.

A Seaport Blockaded.

ADEN, Nov. 19.—Three Egyptian men-of-war are blockading the seaport of Berbera, Africa, and prevent the shipment of merchandise to this station. A British gunboat has been dispatched to the blockaded port.

SPAIN.

The Carlist Revolution.

HENDAYE, November 19.—A vigorous canonnade form San Marial again drove the Carlists from the vicinity of Irun.

HENDAYE, Nov. 19.—The Carlists have again occupied positions around Irun. They have retaken Oyarzin, and cut the railway and wagon road to San Sebastian.

LONDON, November 20.—The *News'* correspondent at Hendaye reports that the storm has abated, and the Republican troops are again in motion. The Carlists yesterday captured two newspaper correspondents, and took them to Andoam, where General Egara immediately ordered their release.

FRANCE.

Explosion in a Chemical Factory.

PARIS, November 19.—An alarming explosion occurred in a chemical factory in St. Denis to-day. The building was destroyed and the railway station near it badly damaged. Three persons were killed and fifteen injured. Half the windows in town were broken.

M. Rouher has gone to Chiselhurst to attend a council of Imperialists summoned in view of the approaching session of the Assembly.

ITALY.

Chamber of Deputies.

ROME, November 19.—The Government has a majority of seventy in the Chamber of Deputies, which will probably be increased by the elections pending.

ROME, November 19.—Corrected returns from the elections for the Chamber of Deputies show that the Right has a majority of seventy-seven. It is probable that Signor Biancheri will be chosen President of the Chamber.

JAMAICA.

Destructive Hurricane.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, November 5.—Sixteen vessels were driven ashore near here and wrecked or damaged by the hurricane of the first inst. There were numerous disasters done to the shipping also at St. Annis. From other sections there is news of great destruction of property, including the crops.

SICILY.

Communists Arrested.

NAPLES, November 19.—Sixty more Communists have been arrested. The Government has determined to confine in one locality all belonging to the Maffia Association in Sicily.

RUSSIA.

Navigation Closing Up.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 19.—Navigation of the Neva is nearly closed for the winter. The bay of Cronstadt is frozen over.

TURKEY.

Violent Storm.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 19.—A violent storm has swept over the sea of Marmora, causing the wreck of many vessels.

A Receiver Appointed for the I. B. & W. R. R.

INDIANAPOLIS, November 19.—The *Daily News* of this afternoon publishes the following in regard to the appointment of a Receiver for the I. B. & W. R. R. Co.: Yesterday afternoon, on a petition of the several classes of bond-holders of the Indianapolis, Bloomington & Western Railway Company, General George B. Wright, of Columbus, Ohio, was appointed by the Circuit Court Receiver of the company. The intelligence was first received in this city this forenoon, and astonished the few who had heard it, for although the financial condition of the road has been frequently discussed heretofore, still it was the general feeling that the I. B. & W. has "tided" over the worst part of the storm, and for the future had comparatively plain sailing. Gen. Wright stands at the head of the Western Bureau of Railway Commissioners, appointed under the Saratoga combination.

Miners' Disturbances at Scranton.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—A Scranton special to the *Sun* says a collision between opposing gangs of miners at the Fairlawn coal mine seems inevitable. The strikers bitterly denounce Duggan and his men, who have taken their places, and who are accused of firing on defenseless women and children. Duggan and several of his men were arrested this morning for carrying concealed weapons, but were released on bail. As they left the Fairlawn mine this afternoon the strikers made a rush at them. Pistol shots were exchanged and Duggan's gang took to flight, pursued by an enraged crowd a long distance. No one is known to have been injured, and no arrests have been made. Summary vengeance is threatened when the working party return to the mine tomorrow, and serious trouble is anticipated.

AMUSEMENTS.

Pittsburgh Opera House.

John Brougham's old but excellent drama of "The Duke's Motto," was played last night with Mr. Barrett as *Henri de Lagardere.* The character is not at all a new one to him, but in the last two or three years he has appeared in it only a few times. In 1871 the play had a run of sixteen weeks at Niblo's Garden in New York City with Mr. Barrett in the leading *role.* It had not been on the stage in this city for a long time and many who saw it played at the old Pittsburgh theatre years ago went again last night to enjoy its reproduction. Mr. Barrett acted capitally, and in the dual character of *Henri* and *Esop*, the hunchback, he won additional honors. In the main he was pretty well supported, Miss Amy Thompson, as *Zillah*, doing some good acting and winning credit. Miss Baker's *Blanche* was meritorious, but it might have been better. Throughout Mr. Barrett's engagement Mr. Owen seems to have been allotted parts that require him to give very close support to the star, and last night as *Carrickfergus*, the devoted and constant companion of *Henri*, he performed very satisfactorily.

This evening two plays will be presented, "The Wonder" and "The Iron Chest," and it being Mr. Barrett's benefit the double bill, combined with his popularity, will make the performance doubly attractive. A good programme will also be presented to-morrow afternoon.

English Opera.

On Thursday evening, December 3d, the popular Kellogg English Opera Troupe will commence a season of three nights at Library Hall. No singer is more welcome in Pittsburgh than Miss Kellogg, and a warm greeting will doubtless be accorded her. The artists accompanying her rank among the best in their profession.

Musical and Dramatical Notes.

NEILSON, the actress, wears a diamond necklace and pendant, for which she paid £2,500 while in England.

BARNUM never publishes a full length portrait because he wishes it to be understood that he is always a-head.

MISS CLARA MORRIS is coming Pittsburgh-ward, which information we volunteer for the benefit of sundry "critic" admirers.

THAT well known Indian rubber family, the Majiltons, make boa constrictors of themselves every evening for the benefit of the truly loyal people of Atlanta, Ga.

A NEW YORK lady of wealth has discovered in Florence, in the person of a poverty-stricken and sick young artist, a son of Burton, the renowned comedian. He has a wife and three little children on his hands, and is in great need of assistance.

A GRAND GYMNASTIC EXHIBITION will be given by the Allegheny City Gymnastic Club, at Turner Hall, corner of South Canal and Cherry streets, Allegheny, on (Thanksgiving) Thursday evening, November 26, the entertainment concluding with a terpsichorean performance.

MISS CLARA LOUISE KELLOGG has been suffering from severe sore throat for a few days, but had sufficiently recovered to appear in the "The Bohemian Girl," in Cincinnati, on Wednesday evening. She was also announced to take part in Mozart's "Marriage of Figaro," on Thursday evening.

NEW YORK journals continue to poke fun at Mr. George Clark for leaving the Fifth Avenue Theatre rather than cut off his moustache for *Charles Surface*, and yet deny that his departure was for that cause. He had not worn his moustache at all during the run of the "School for Scandal." New York journalism is sometimes peculiar.

MISS AUGUSTA L. DARGON'S engagement has been anything but a success, but we are free to say it was no fault of her's. What with a miserable company to support her and bad management generally, no other result could have been expected by any sane person. We trust Miss Dargon's next engagement in this city will be at the Opera House.

MISS EFFIE ELLSLER'S appearance at the Pittsburgh Opera House next week will form quite an event in theatrical circles. This talented young lady opens her engagement in the character of *Juliet*, in the play of "Romeo and Juliet," which will be followed, on succeeding evenings, as *Rosalind*, in "As You Like It," *Parthenia*, in "Ingomar," &c. A grand success is predicted for Miss Ellsler.

ON the last "Lucia" night, when Albani sung in New York, Alice Louise Cary entered the Academy, attired in a rich Russian mantle, trimmed with the most costly furs, and wearing a magnificent pearl silk dress, heavily barred with black velvet. She was ushered into box No. 2, and, with two other ladies, sat out the performance applauding her sister artiste Albani with much feminine enthusiasm.

NILSSON is not above resorting to the little tricks of the stage, when she thinks they will serve her purpose. A correspondent of the *Arcadian* says: One night, at the "Italiens" in Paris, she actually sent a man up to the top proscenium box with a quantity of common wall-flowers which he was to throw down upon the stage at a given moment. Imagine what a lovely scene this produced. How sweet and simple was this tribute of the poor to the august Diva! How pretty it was to see her pick up the common wall-flowers and kiss them, and then lift her eyes up to the gallery in sign of eternal gratitude to the gods!"

THE Ninth Pennsylvania Cavalry have issued an invitation to all Pennsylvania regiments to meet in reunion at Wilkesbarre, on June 6, 1875. The object of this is to form an organization of all the regiments in this State who had enlisted in the war of the rebellion.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. H. BALDWIN, ATTORNEY, NO. 75 GRANT STREET.—Letters of administration c. t. a. d. b. n. upon the estate of WILLIAM F. NOBLE, late of the City of Pittsburgh, in the county of Allegheny, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them duly probated without delay to GEORGE NOBLE, Administrator, Corner Smithfield street and 3d avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. no20:193:F

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, November 20, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments for Grading, Paving and Curbing of 21st street, from Sarah street to a point 400 feet west of Josephine street, Chatham street, from Webster avenue to Fountain street, Clark street and Clark alley, from Overhill street to Passavant's alley Harcum alley from 23d street to 25th street, and Edwards alley from 17th street to 18th street, are now ready for examination and correction, and will remain at this office for ten (10) days, when they will be returned to the City Treasurer for collection. A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer. no20

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It is our opinion that the best interests of all concerned will be promoted by such a course, and we urge that the creditors be present at the meeting, either in person or by proxies, appointed by proper powers of attorney.

JAMES I. BENNETT,
D. HOSTETTER,
REUBEN MILLER,
JOHN HARPER,
JAMES J. DONNELL,
Creditors Committee.

Pittsburgh, November 19, 1874. no20:196

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GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 111¼.

THE mere fact that the lower House of the Danish Reichstag has determined to pass a law abolishing titles of nobility is significant of the drift of popular opinion there, even if the upper House should reject the proposition.

TO THE list of eleven murders in about a year, in this county, another must be added—information having been made charging that the death of young Andrews involved the crime of murder. James Neese is answerable for it.

THE journals East are still earnestly discussing the railroad discrimination against New York in the freightage of grain. This illustrates the sensitiveness of the commercial cities East to all that affects prosperity. A good example for us.

THE lively skirmishing and caucusing that is going on among the elect of the Democracy is very amusing. They are so new to the disposition of patronage that it seems to them a matter of supreme and awful importance. We rejoice to see them thus active—it shows they are alive.

NEW YORK seems to be in a very unhealthy condition. Diphtheria and small-pox are on the increase in that city, and both diseases may be said to be epidemic. There were 130 deaths from diphtheria last week and 106 from small-pox,—a very serious showing, particularly as to the number of deaths is on the increase.

THE absurd story that Washburne is to be called home to take Secretary Fish's place in the Cabinet, is denied. Those who know President Grant were not seriously imposed on by the story that he is so helpless as to political opinion as to require the recall of a Minister from abroad to help him out.

DISRAELI is in trouble. His reference at the Lord Mayor's banquet elicited an inquiry from Bismarck whether it referred to the Von Arnim case, and Disraeli denied. The press of England severely censures Disraeli for this, on the ground that Bismarck's inquiry is an impertinent interference with the freedom of speech in England.

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS, of one kind or other, are becoming quite frequent. On Wednesday and Thursday of next week, the ladies of Bridgeton, New Jersey, will celebrate the hundredth anniversary of the burning of the tea at Greenwich point, in 1774. It is surprising how many of these tea destructions there were in the patriotic days of yore.

THE painful solicitude manifested by one or two journals in this city over the Gladstone-Manning controversy in England is quite worthy of notice. The resolution of a few people that the dogma of infallibility does not affect their faithfulness to the civil power is regarded as conclusive. Settling the scope of religious dogmas in excited mass meetings of laymen is a new idea.

PERHAPS a more amusing legal document has not recently been drawn than the reply of Mayor Havemeyer to the libel suit instituted against him by John Kelly. Kelly is the intimate of Tilden, and was the friend of Tweed in the days of that worthy's prosperity. Havemeyer seems to be possessed of a goodly supply of Boss Kelly's private history, and under the guise of a reply to a libel suit, details points with refreshing particularity. It is quite likely that suit will be withdrawn, rather than submit to many such scorching replies.

PHILADELPHIA is on the edge of a severe struggle as regards the coming elections. Controller Hancock reveals the fact that the tax rate, to cover the necessities of the year, must reach $2.70 per $100, and investigating committees show that street cleaning contracts were given to other than the lowest bidders. The Union League and the Reform Association have called special meetings to consider suitable nominations for the February elections. This is a move in the right direction; and there should be similar movements in this city. If we expect Republican candidates for Councils to be elected, it must be by securing only the best class of nominations possible. The Democratic party in Philadelphia is taking similar action to that of the associations referred to, and should do the same in this city. Both parties should put forward the very best names possible, and then the people will make the final choice.

AN interesting discussion is going forward in France relative to the proposed publication of Talleyrand's memoirs. They related to the inside history of the First Empire. Before his death Talleyrand provided for the custody of his papers, the writings in which he declared to be true, and directed that they should be published at the expiration of thirty years, or in 1868. The report is, that Napoleon III., learning the nature of the contents, secured a postponement of their publication for an additional thirty years by reviving a title in favor of the son of the Baron, Charles Tallyrand, who then controlled the manuscripts. The inference is, that the papers contained revelations concerning the First Empire that were not flattering to the Napoleons, and hence the suppression at the end of the thirty years. Now, however, the Empire is out of existence, and the Napoleons not particularly influential in France, and thus the subject is revived once more. It will be an interesting volume if published.

THERE are some beautiful complications in the Senatorial fight in New York. There are enough Liberal Republicans in the Legislature to hold the balance of power, and these are disposed to favor Senator Fenton, whose time is about expiring. But just at this juncture it leaks out that Conkling would probably like Seymour elected, as he is a brother-in-law! Seymour declines, but it is so natural for him to decline, and declining accept proffered honors, that his present attitude is interpreted as making him all the more a candidate. As Conkling is charged with having secured the election to the lower House of Congress, of Mr. Lord, his Democratic law partner, it is thought that there is nothing strange in his favoring Mr. Seymour, when he is a brother-in-law. Thus there is a beautiful medley, and out of it Mr. Fenton may again emerge Senator for the great State of New York. He has managed so often to come unexpectedly to the front that we are prepared for any result of this kind.

WITH the rectified returns we can readily see that the election of United States Senator in this State bids fair to be as close a matter as in the celebrated period when Buckalew was confirmed at pistol's mouth. It may seem odd that the representatives of the Democracy should have required such persuasives to stand up to their duty, but such was the fact. The mandate went forth, "If any man fails to vote for Buckalew, shoot him on the spot;" and the Assembly Chamber was a pandemonium of heated passion during the election. Governor Curtin now to be honored with a Democratic nomination, it is said, refused to disperse the gang of roughs that invaded the halls of the Legislature, and so the election of Buckalew was confirmed. Now the Democracy see the chances becoming fearfully close. The change of about three votes will fix the affair, and it is an open question how riotous the present brood of Democratic law-makers will be. We really hope their virtues will not be tried, and from all we hear, there will be no effort to prevent those having a legitimate majority on joint ballot from controlling the election. But we are prone to remember other days, in view of the strange similarity of situation.

STRIKES seem peculiarly out of place at the present time, yet the 'longshoremen of New York, who are merely wharf laborers, have struck against a proposed reduction of price from four to three dollars a day. They have $50,000 in the treasury, and ten thousand persons to divide it among,—so that the princely sum of five dollars each is at their command. Whether this will support them during the winter is, of course, a problem that can only be solved by the lapse of time. That they should not look far enough into the future to clearly unfold this problem is, of course, quite natural. The fact that their's is not skilled labor, except so far as manual dexterity in handling heavy packages may be said to constitute skill, indicates how readily their places may be filled. Yet even this is not a deterrent influence. The papers without exception, so far as we can see, advise them to accept the reduction and continue work, but the papers are regarded as controlled by the people who have the money, and the fact that they advise the laborers to accede to the terms proposed is only an additional reason why they will not do it. It is the same old story. The 'longshoremen, like many others, are led by a few interested parties, who can only illustrate their value to the workers by keeping them in trouble with their employers. Thus it goes.

MARSHALL'S OPINION.

The Taxpayers' Union employed Thomas M. Marshall, Esq., to look into the legality of the last municipal election, and that gentleman yesterday gave them an opinion that the election was clearly illegal. We judge this will lead to the institution of active legal proceedings, although it should only be regarded as yet as a mere *ex parte* matter. A lawyer, employed to determine a doubtful point in law, or of Constitutional interpretation, is pretty sure to make one fee earn another, and hence no one, we judge, anticipated any different opinion from Mr. Marshall than that he has given. Still, it follows that he is capable of making a lively fight, and so those interested in maintaining the legality of the election will now need to bestir themselves, and secure counsel to represent them in a suit tolerably sure to be brought. The subject is a broader one than is generally thought, as, if the election in this city was illegal, so were all other charter elections held at the same time. It is not a small contest that will be opened up, nor are the people uninterested in the result.

REFRESHING CANDOR.

The New York *World* certainly adheres to its ante-election doctrines with admirable consistency. It claims that free trade is not only Democratic but national doctrine,—that is the Democracy do not remand it to the Congressional districts as a local doctrine, but hold it as a National sentiment, and propose to give it general application. In doing this, it strongly contrasts the campaigns of 1864, 1868 and 1872 with that of the present year. The first, on the side of the Democracy was conducted on the theory that the war was a failure, and they were beaten. The second, 1868, was based on the idea of paying the debt in greenbacks, and this failed. That of 1872 rested on the remanding of the tariff issue to the Congressional districts, and it did not succeed. Says that refreshingly candid journal, "The Fall elections of 1874 have been conducted under a different order of battle, and the trophies of our victory are a great majority of the State governments, a close approach to a majority of the Senate and a majority in the House of Representatives of the Forty-fourth Congress." Under the inspiration of this exhilarating conclusion, it proceeds to answer the point occasionally made, that the hard times helped the Democracy:

> Certainly they did; but what has made Hard Times except the destruction of our Southern markets by depriving the South of Home Rule, the closing of our foreign market by a tariff which has slaughtered our export trade and abolished our shipping from off the high seas, and a currency of fluctuating value which converts business into a game of chance, and unites with the Tariff to plunder the Farmers of the United States in all their incomes and in all their outgoes. The Farmers are half our population. The misgovernment which bears so heavily against the prosperity of a class so large cannot but make Hard Times. Free Trade and Specie Payments are the first of Farmers' Rights. Of course the farmers voted against "Hard Times." So voting they voted also against the cause of hard times in Republican fiscal impolicy. We are told that this is not a Democratic victory because many men formerly Republicans when slavery or war questions were in issue, voted with the Democratic party and so gave us victory. Certainly they did; and how can they be obliged to continue voting with us, more easily than by giving them the same reasons which first induced them to vote with us whilst besides inducing every true Democrat to vote. The Liberals to a man are Free Traders and Hard Money men."

We have been at the pains to make this quotation chiefly in order that we may commend a few points in it to the attention of such Republicans as voted the Democratic ticket. In the first place, all Republicans who voted the Democratic ticket, are classed as Liberals,—the element that formed the tail of the Greeley kite. Second, they are classed, *en masse* as "Free Traders." Third, their votes are accepted as an argument that Free Trade is to be the policy of this country. Fourth, their votes are also accepted as a demand for "Home Rule" or White Leagueism at the South. We submit that the GAZETTE clearly pointed out all this as a result that would certainly follow a Democratic victory. The reply in this city was,—that the Democratic candidates here did not represent those ideas. We granted they did not, but claimed that their success would carry moral weight for those ideas, inasmuch as the idea that they were Democrats would naturally convey the suggestion that they were also free traders. We are not surprised at the outcome; and, let us admit, the New York *World* more nearly represents and controls the Democracy now, than it has at any time in its history as a paper; and more perfectly influences that organization than does any other paper. It says that the party is for free trade, and that free trade is a national, not a local question. Remember that.

POLITICAL NOTES.

THERE is an excellent opportunity for Governor-elect Tilden to enforce civil service reform in New York.

IT is stated that the Mayor-elect of New York city has, on an average, one thousand applications for position to every office in his gift.

The total vote in Tennessee for Governor does not exceed 158,000, or 24,000 less than in 1872. Maryland's vote is less than 55,000, showing that the entire decrease is on the Republican side.

THE Democrats of Missouri, who are to name Schurz's successor, are beginning to talk of Gratz Brown, John S. Phelps, Gen. A. W. Doniphan, and others. Gen. Phelps was the second choice when Bogy went in, two years ago.

RETURNS of the Missouri election, nearly complete, give Hardin 35,894 majority for Governor. Gentry carried two Congressional Districts in the Governor vote, but the Republican candidates for Congress were beaten in both.

THE Hon. E. B. Washburne has been formally nominated for the Presidency by the Milwaukee *Advertiser*, as the best choice the Republicans can make in 1876. The Chicago *Tribune*, which is supposed to be very favorable to the suggestion, says: "The Republican party will elect the next President; that much is as certain as any future event can be. Whether the President's name will be Washburne, or Conkling, or Blaine, or Wilson, is a question for future discussion. An early nomination will not help a man if he is not secure of the affections and respect of Republicans throughout the country; and one who has these can afford to wait for the recognition of his merits at the proper time."

PERSONAL.

SENATOR LOGAN has quite recovered.

LOUISE CHANDLER MOULTON is seriously ill at Pomfret, Conn.

THE infant son of the Duke of Edinburgh has been christened Albert Alexander.

PRINCE ALFONSO, after a short sojourn in France, has returned to the Carlist headquarters in Spain.

MRS. HARRIET BEECHER STOWE arrived at the Grand National Hotel, Jacksonville, Fla., on the 13th inst.

COLONEL WILLIAM WILSON, better known as "Billy Wilson," of the Sixth New York Zouaves, died in that city a few days since.

BEECHER preached a powerful sermon, Sunday, on "The Fall of Man." He administered a severe rebuke to scandalmongers and others who try to injure good reputations.

BISHOP CUMMINS, of the Reformed Episcopal Church, it is said, will soon take up his residence in Baltimore. The Bishop was formerly pastor of the old St. Peter's (Protestant Episcopal) church in that city.

MR. RICHARD POTTER, President of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada; Mr. David Chadwick, M. P.; Mr. John Crossley, M. P.; and Rev. Dr. Mellor, of England, sailed for Europe in the steamship Russia on Wednesday.

GERDEMANN is five feet eleven inches in height, stout and jovial, and not quite thirty-three. His wife is fair, fat and twenty-eight. Gerdemann seems to think he has a pretty easy thing on the officers of his late diocese, and the congregation of St. Bonifacius church.

A WOMAN named Collins, living at Keyport, Monmouth county, New Jersey, is ninety-five years of age, one of her brothers is ninety-one and the other ninety-three. All are in good health and show remarkable activity for their years. Their intellect is clear and their recollection of events that transpired in their youthful days vivid and accurate.

A LETTER received from Commander R. M. Lewis, of the United States steamship Yantic, brings intelligence of the death of Master Richard A. Breck, officer of that vessel, by accidental drowning at the port of Amoy, China, September 22d last. The remains were recovered, and buried in the European cemetery, on the Island of Kilangsen, in the harbor of Amoy. A massive granite monument has been erected to his memory by the officers of the ship.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

CALIFORNIANS have $60,000,000 in the savings banks.

ST. LOUIS admits having nearly half a thousand Chinamen.

NEGROES in Georgia are reported to own $6,157,798 of property.

CALIFORNIA has engaged a tree planter at a cost of $15,000 a year and expenses.

A COTTON Exchange has been organized in Boston, with E. H. Sampson as president.

SIX Redemptionist Fathers, exiled from Germany under the recent law, have arrived in New York.

UTAH will yield $10,000,000 worth of the precious metals this year, which is double the value of all that was mined last year.

FOUR seamen, while returning in a small boat to their vessel, at Portsmouth, N. H., on Wednesday night, were drowned. They were all intoxicated.

DR. W. H. WEVILL, a family physician, was shot at the house of Christain Hansen, Philadelphia, on Tuesday. Jealousy appears to have been the moving cause.

THE Hudson River and Harlem railroads have reduced the wages of their laborers, track men, &c., from ten to fifteen per cent. Other roads propose a reduction.

TWO athletic leather dressers of Newark, New Jersey, named Lacken and "Pluckey" Riley, lathered each other according to the rules of the ring, on Monday night. They fought an hour, when Lacken cried, in effect "Hold, enough!"

TWO BOYS, named John Kirch and Patrick Sexton, aged fourteen and thirteen years respectively, quarreled in Chicago, Tuesday, when Kirch stabbed Sexton in the left breast, with an eraser, close to the heart, from which he will probably die.

THE creditors of Neil McCullum, leather merchant of New York, who failed for $280,000, have accepted thirty cents on the dollar. McCullum's books show losses of over $100,000 the past year, owing to failure of shoe dealers in various parts of the country.

THE national dog of Germany, which is the "dachshund," or badger-hound, is beginning to make its appearance in this country. They are queer, stunted little creatures, with very short legs, and are said by sporting Germans to be first-rate for hunting rabbits.

MARIA is a very popular name in Illinois. When a cat climbs a back fence in a well-populated neighborhood and plaintively calls out "Mariar!" twenty or thirty windows are hastily thrown up, from which protrude twenty or thirty female heads wildly answering "What."

THE Arcadian Club, New York, propose to give a reception on Saturday evening next to Dr. Hayes, the well known Arctic Explorer, and the Geographical Society, on Monday evening, will listen to short addresses from Dr. Hayes and M. Du Chaillu. Both of these distinguished travelers will probably talk about the frozen North.

RED CLOUD and Blue Horse refuse to allow a census of their people to be taken, and say they will go without their rations and annuities before they will permit it to be done. They have probably been told by the missionaries how David was afflicted for making a count of the Israelites, and have cultivated what may be properly styled a theological prejudice to census statistics.

SOMEWHERE in Illinois last week one of the attractions of an evening entertainment was a tableau representing (after a fashion) Dubufe's "Prodigal Son." An ill-disposed and jaundiced newspaper, giving space to a notice of the matter, says it was not a moral success, inasmuch as "the best-looking young man in the place had been selected for the prodigal, and every one of the girls wanted to be the woman who should hang on his shoulder and look lovingly at him, and that broke up the business."

CHRISTIAN HANSEN and wife have been committed in Philadelphia to answer a complaint of Dr. W. H. Wevill. The doctor was their family physician, and while visiting the wife—according to his statement—she invited him into her chamber to look at some new furniture. The husband rushed in and threatened to shoot the doctor unless he signed a paper acknowledging improper conduct. The doctor refused, when Mrs. Hansen pushed him down on the bed, and her husband shot him, wounding him in the knee, making amputation necessary.

FOREIGN NOTES.

IN Russia also they have opened a weather office, and the probabilities are daily announced.

THE former residence of Maximilian in Mexico is in ruins, scarcely a trace of its departed glory being left to mark it.

THE Czar Alexander has conferred the Russian Order of St. Alexander Newski on Duke Decazes, Minister of Foreign Affairs of France.

LATE revisions of the pension list in France show that there are still living 25,000 men who served in the armies of the First Napoleon.

NOVA SCOTIA raised 750,746 tons of coal during the first nine months of the year, being 12,777 tons less than in the corresponding months of 1873.

ACCORDING to the new military survey of the Russian Empire, the monarchy extends over 400,227 geographical square miles, or one-sixth of the inhabited globe.

BY THE recent report of the French Commission, organized for the public distribution of charity, during the dreadful days of '71, it appears that 5,000,000f. ($1,000,000) was sent from this country.

THE directors of the Midway Railway Company, England, have finally determined to abolish the second class carriages and fares, and will arrange the details of the change with competing lines at the request of the latter.

IN Russia they are troubled very much with the difficulty of numbering their Israelitish people subject to the conscription, and it has been proposed to leave it to the notabilities of the Jewish faith; but the Minister of War declines the proposition.

ON a recent Sunday morning, a Sheffield workman, who had just been married in church, was met on his return by about fifty of his fellows, and received at their hands, as a bridal gift, a fine leg of mutton. He accepted it with thanks, and soberly walked his way, a leg of mutton in his right hand and his blushing bride leaning on his left arm.

RUMOR is much divided, says the *Japan Mail*, upon the probable causes of the late unpleasantness between the Emperor of China and his Prime Minister. It is said by some that the Prince has had the bad grace to tell his sovereign that the public purse is empty, and to advise a suspension of expenditure on the palace of Yuenming-yuen. Others think that he has been giving the Emperor some wholesome but unpalatable advice about matters in Formosa.

LONDON has had a sensation in the letter line. By the Indian mail came a missive addressed in a language with which the Postoffice authorities were not acquainted. They sent it to the British Museum. No one there could read it, but they excluded from consideration all the ancient tongues and the Chinese language. It was in none of those. At the Indian office it could not be read; but there, also, many languages were excluded. It was tried at a Richmond Oriental College with the same result. Finally it was read by a private gentleman at Bayswater, and was in Telegu and addressed to the Queen.

THE INDIANS.

A Census of the Tribes.

The first-class numbers about 89,818, and may be catalogued as follows: 44,364 out of about 52,000 Sioux; 420 Mandans; 1,620 Gros Ventres; 4,200 Crows, 5,450 Blackfeet, Bloods and Piegans; 6,153 Utes in Colorado, Utah and New Mexico; 9,057 Apaches in New Mexico and Arizona; 4,975 Kiowas and Comanches in Indian Territory; 7,324 Cheyennes and Arapahoes in Indian Territory, Wyoming and Dakota; 5,352 Chippewas in Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan; 300 Nez Perces in Idaho; 1,600 Shoshones and Bannocks in Wyoming; 1,000 Shoshones, Bannocks and Pi Utes in Oregon.

The second class, numbering about 51,429, is summed up as follows: 5,769 Chippewas and Amenomonees in Minnesota and Wisconsin; 338 Sacs and Foxes in Iowa; 4,622 Sioux, 730 Poncas and 973 Rees in Dakota; 3,289 Pawnees, Omahas, Ottoes, Sacs and Foxes in Nebraska; 1,820 Flatheads in Montana, and 2,500 Mixed Shoshones and Bannocks, and Sheep-Eaters, and 1,200 Nez Perces in Idaho; 295 Kickapoos, 332 Kaws, and 2,372 Osages in the Indian Territory; 1,000 Pi Utes on reservation in Nevada; 575 Utes in Utah; 1,450 Mohaves and Hualapaes in Arizona; 9,668 Navajoes in New Mexico, and 15,056 among the different tribes in Washington Territory, Oregon and California. In the third class: 140 Senecas and other Indians in New York; 14,774 Chippewas and other Indians in Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota; 2,780 Sioux at Sisseton, Santee and Flandreau Agencies; 226 Iowas and 1,782 Winnebagos in Nebraska; 760 Pottawatomies and Kickapoos in Kansas; 500 Osages, 1,600 Choctaws, 13,000 Creeks, 6,000 Chickasaws, 2,438 Seminoles, 17,217 Cherokees, and 4,141 belonging to smaller bands in the Indian Territory; 1,000 Eastern Cherokees in North Carolina; 1,307 Nez Perces in Idaho; 5,112 Yakomas, and others in Washington Territory, and 10,995 Pueblos in New Mexico. Within the above classification, modified somewhat, might be included, 4,300 Pimas and Maricopas, and 6,000 Papagoes in Arizona, and a majority of the 5,000 Mission Indians in California, who have always been self-supporting, and only within a short time have been furnished by the Government with an agent and a few employes; and if it had been at any time during the last generation possible for them to have received suitable lands in severality, they would have been in as tolerable a condition of comfort as most of their white neighbors. A fourth class of roamers and vagrants might be enumerated, consisting of 600 Winnebagoes in Wisconsin, 250 Kickapoos in Kansas—known as Mokohoko's band—6,000 Digger, and others in California; 3,000 Indians on the Columbia river; 1,500 Utes in Nevada, Utah, Colorado, and Arizona; 2,080 Yomas and others in Arizona, and 1,200 scattered Indians in North Carolina, Tennessee, Georgia, Florida and Texas.

MR. GLADSTONE'S EXPLANATION.

Nothing to Recant and Nothing to Regret.

A London correspondent of the *Irish Times* says:—Mr. Gladstone, finding that his remarks on the Roman Catholic Church have excited a good deal of hostile criticism, has thought it necessary to explain them in a pamphlet of seventy-two pages, which will be issued by Mr. Murray, of Albemarle street. The explanation, I confidently predict, will add to the original offence.

Mr. Gladstone has nothing to recant and nothing to regret in his efforts to give Roman Catholics their due rights as citizens. Further he cannot go. He is sorry to see that so many converts of high rank have gone over to Rome, but he is certain that their example has not spread to the mass, and he quotes statistics in proof of his assertion that the proportion of members of the Papal Church has not increased in the ratio of the population. The Roman Catholic marriages, he states, supply a competent test, and their effect is 4-89 per cent. of the population in 1854, 4-62 in 1859, 4-09 in 1869 and 4-02 in 1871. If the Pope has gained at all it is among acres, not among souls, and the severance of a certain number of lords of the soil from those who till it can be borne with equanimity. For himself, he will not change his opinion. He cannot accept the pretensions of Rome; but he will maintain the position he has always maintained—that of maintaining equal civil rights, irrespectively of religious differences; and will resist all attempts to exclude the members of the Roman Catholic Church from the benefit of that rule. As for the people of Great Britain, it is not for their own dignity and that of the Crown to be diverted from a path which they have deliberately chosen, and which it does not rest with all the myrmidons of the Apostolic Chamber either openly to obstruct or secretly to undermine. The inhabitants of these islands as a whole are able, though sometimes credulous and excitable; resolute, though sometimes boastful; and a strong-headed and sound-hearted race will not be hindered, either by latent or by avowed dissents due to the foreign influence of a caste, from the accomplishment of its mission in the world.

DOLLINGER COMPLIMENTED.

In another part of the book Mr. Gladstone has taken occasion to pay a compliment to Dr. Dollinger, as being "the most famous and learned living theologian of the Roman Communion," and adds that "no one can wonder that such a man has refused compliance with the Papal decrees, even at the expense of excommunication."

MATRIMONIAL TROUBLES.

A Millionaire Who is Fond of Getting Married.

An interesting illustration of the saying that "truth is stranger than fiction" was afforded yesterday in the Brooklyn branch of the Supreme Court, before Justice Jos. F. Barnard. It is given in the following plain narrative of facts: Walter W. Price came to this city from England forty years ago, being then twenty years of age. He landed penniless, but now owns the most palatial residence at Lake George, is worth over $1,000,000, and is known as Col. Walter W. Price. One year before he left England he married Miss Susanna Butler. He soon abandoned her, and after being in this country four years, a contract of separation was negotiated between them. This contract was completed on the 31st of June, 1848, and on the 21st of the following October Price married an estimable Brooklyn lady, representing himself as a single man. He lived with her till 1860, five children resulting from the union. He then abandoned her. Very soon thereafter Price began paying his addresses to the plaintiff in the present suit. He assured her that his English wife was dead, and alleged that he had been divorced from his Brooklyn wife on the ground of infidelity on her part. In proof of this last assertion, and to dispel the lady's hesitation, it is alleged that he read to her a fraudulent clause in the decree of Justice Barnard, purporting to give him the right to marry. Upon these representations she consented to marry him, and in July, 1865, the marriage ceremony took place. In 1871 Price abandoned his third wife and their three children, leaving her destitute. To complete this narrative it should be stated that Price is now about to commence proceedings for divorce from his English wife. The third Mrs. Price, however, has commenced a suit against the much married millionaire for $100,000 for the cruel deceit to which, it is alleged, he has subjected her. A demurrer was taken to the complaint by his counsel, and came up for argument before Justice Joseph F. Barnard. The demurrer is based on the alleged ground that the complaint contains allegations of both contract and fraud, which, it is claimed, constitute separate causes of action, and cannot be united in one action. Decision will be given in a few days.

THE SLEEPING CHILD.

A Case of Suspended Animation—Little Bertha Miller Still in the Coffin.

The very singular circumstances connected with the supposed death of Bertha Miller, a child seven years old, at Yonkers, Westchester county, N. Y., form a case which is, perhaps, without a parallel in the wonder-causing catalogue of sublunary phenomena. The fancied death of the little girl last Wednesday night, the laying out of the body and its being then placed on ice in a cold room, its remaining in that frigid state until Sunday afternoon, the surprise of the undertaker on finding it limber and pliable when transferring it from the ice coffin to the burial caskett; the obsequies interrupted and a number of physicians called in, who after various tests, found indications of animation, and accordingly gave the sorrowing parents reason to hope that their darling might yet cheat the King of Terrors of his prey—all these present a concatenation of facts which must leave the most approved extravagances of fiction far in the shade. Although it appears that the doctors were satisfied from the scientific experiments which they effected on the child that the circulation of the blood was still going on to a limited extent, they were unable to utilize their professional skill in administering restoratives or in endeavoring to increase the action of the heart. In this extraordinary dilemma they were forced to content themselves by advising the parents not to attempt the burial of the child at present. A number of doctors from various sections of the country called to see the child yesterday, one of them puncturing the little one's side with a lance, but failing to draw blood. They all, however, agreed that it would be highly improper to bury the child at present, a conclusion in which the poor parents eagerly coincide. It is understood that little Bertha, when two years old, narrowly escaped being buried alive, she having remained in a similar state of apparent suspended animation for nine consecutive weeks.

THE WRONG COFFINS.

A Very Awkward Mistake

The Adrian (Mich.) *Press* says: The following very singular occurrences took place at Flint, and Mount Morris simultaneously on a recent date, the truth of which is well vouched for: Two persons, one a white man, the other a negro, died at points distant from their homes; the bodies were forwarded to their friends, and the coffins in the course of their transit, came aboard the same train, whence they were delivered at their respective stations. The funerals at each place were in waiting; the colored people received the body of their fallen brother, and the mourners sadly followed it to the church, where they listened to a pathetic discourse. When the speaker had concluded his sermon, the coffin was opened, and horror of horrors! the sable African was found to be bleached out perfectly white. The short crisp hair had given place to the long straight locks of the Anglo-Saxon, the features were European, and the general semblance of a full-blooded white man. The consternation, horror and superstition of the distressed mourners and friends of the departed colored man were boundless, as they gazed with amazed countenances upon the face of the dead, so suddenly and unaccountably metamorphosed into that of a white man. That was at Flint. As soon as reason could assert its sway, it became evident that there must be a mistake somewhere, and that the right man had somehow got off at the wrong station, and the corpse was immediately boxed up again and carried back to the depot, where it was ascertained that at the time of the delivery of the coffin to the colored mourners there were two coffins on board and the corpses had been merely exchanged. At Mount Morris a scene was enacting similar to that described at Flint; at the close of services the mourners gazed with agonized features upon the horrible spectacle before them. In the coffin lay, not the form of the loved friend whose funeral services had thus far been performed, but that of a stalwart negro!

The feelings of the afflicted relations and friends can be better imagined than described. Matters, however, soon became understood, and a telegraphic dispatch was received from the managing officer of the Flint and Pere Marquette Railway explaining things. The corpses were exchanged, and representatives of both nationalities finally had the satisfaction of receiving their own dead for interment. The apparent fearful discoloration of the white, and the unaccountable bleaching out of the colored man, was now no longer a mystery, and the friends were relieved of any superstitious anxiety that might have attended the circumstance. The baggageman, whose gross blunder in the delivery occasioned this difficulty, was promptly discharged.

An Expensive Law Suit.

Some people love the law so well that they are never rid of law suits. In Connecticut there has been a suit for $7.50 pending for eight years past, and it has just reached the Supreme Court of the State, where an attempt is about to be made to finally determine it. In the winter of 1866–7, a sleighing party driving a six-horse team happened to get behind an individual driving one horse in a narrow road, and he would neither turn out nor drive faster than a walk, so that for two miles he impeded the progress of the merry sleighers. They were naturally indignant, and brought suit against him under an old statute for obstructing the highway, the penalty being $7.50, one-half to go to the informer. A justice at first gave judgment for the plaintiff, and on this there have been "appeals" and "demurrers," and "new trials," and all sorts of legal devices, until now the highest State Court is reached, nearly eight years afterwards, and an attempt is being made to get a final decision. The quarrel has already cost the litigants at least one thousand times the penalty involved.

The Factory Girls' Strike.

A "lock-out" has taken place at the Adams Mosquito Netting Mill, in Paterson, N. J., in consequence of a refusal of the girls employed there to work for three and a quarter cents a cut. The girls say that some time ago Mr. Adams entered into a contract to pay them four and a half cents a cut for a year, but about four months ago he told them that if they would work for three and a quarter cents he would keep the mill running all Winter; otherwise he would be compelled to shut down. The girls consented on condition that in the Spring the prices would be advanced again. Last week the mill was shut down almost entirely, and work will not be resumed unless the hands agree to his terms. The girls say that at four and a half cents they can only make from $6 to $7 a week, and the work is very laborious.

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Medium and Finest Qualities.

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THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE COMPANY IS PUBLISHED IN CONFORMITY WITH A PROVISION OF ITS CHARTER:

Premiums Received from November 1, 1873, to October 31, 1874.

On Marine and Inland Risks	$662,080 65	
On Fire Risks	213,675 52	
		$945,338 17
Premiums on Policies not marked off November 1, 1873		556,280 23
		$1,501,618 40

Premiums Marked Off as Earned from November 1, 1873, to October 31, 1874.

On Marine and Inland Risks	$737,080 97	
On Fire Risks	217,967 60	
		$955,048 57
Interest during same period, salvages, &c		96,821 53
		$1,051,870 10

Losses, Expenses, &c., During the Year as Above.

Marine and Inland Navigation Losses	$498,053 83	
Fire Losses	63,472 71	
Return Premiums	52,064 95	
Reinsurance	35,707 17	
Agency Charges, Advertising, Printing, &c	55,061 83	
Taxes, State and Municipal Taxes	14,107 31	
Expenses	26,964 51	
		$746,069 51
		$305,800 59

ASSETS OF THE COMPANY,
NOVEMBER 1, 1874.

$150,000	United States Six Per Cent. Loan, 1867	$176,812 50
184,000	State of Pennsylvania Six Per Cent. Loans	202,715 00
325,000	City of Philadelphia Six Per Cent. Loans, (exempt from Tax)	330,250 00
250,000	State of New Jersey Six Per Cent. Loans	265,000 00
75,000	City of Pittsburgh Seven Per Cent. Loans	75,000 00
50,000	City of Boston Six Per Cent. Loans	50,000 00
20,000	Pennsylvania R. R. First Mortgage Six Per Cent. Bonds	20,000 00
25,000	Pennsylvania R. R. Second Mortgage Six Per Cent. Bonds	24,843 75
25,000	Western Pennsylvania R. R. Mortgage Six Per Cent. Bonds (Pennsylvania R. R. guarantee)	20,000 00
44,000	State of Tennessee Six Per Cent. Loan	23,870 00
19,000	Pennsylvania R. R. Co., 380 shares stock	20,805 00
6,050	North Pennsylvania Rail Road Company, 121 shares stock	6,650 00
10,000	Philadelphia and Southern Mail Steamship Company, 80 shares stock	2,560 00
40,000	American Steamship Co. Six Per Cent. Bonds	30,000 00
256,950	Loans on Bond and Mortgage, first liens on city properties	256,950 00
$1,480 000	Par. Market value	$1,514,656 25
	Real Estate at Philadelphia and Pittsburgh	120,000 00
	Bills Receivable for Insurance made	208,144 16
	Balances Due at Agencies, Premiums on Marine Policies, Accrued Interest and other Debts Due the Company	81,014 19
	Stock and Scrip, &c., of sundry corporations, estimated value	8,049 75
	Cash in banks, $128,605 41; in drawer, $483 62	129,089 03
		$2,060,953 38

Philadelphia, November 11, 1874.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a Cash Dividend of TEN PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, and SIX PER CENT. Interest on the Scrip of the Company, payable on and after the 1st of December, proximo, free of tax.

They have also declared a Scrip Dividend of TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. on the Earned Premiums for the year ending October 31, 1874, certificates of which will be issued to the parties entitled to the same on and after the 1st December, proximo, free of tax.

No certificate of profits issued under $25. By the Act of Incorporation "no certificate shall issue unless claimed within two years after the declaration of the dividend whereof it is evidence."

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OFFICIAL—PITTSBURGH.

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
PITTSBURGH, November 18, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT five (5) per cent. of the outstanding Fire Department Loan Bonds of the City of Pittsburgh will be paid if presented at this office, December 1st, 1874.
E. M. SNODGRASS, Controller.
no18

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the report of the Viewers assessing the cost of constructing Thirty-third street sewer was this day confirmed "Nisi" by the Court of Quarter Sessions, to become absolute in ten days if no exceptions are filed.
THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
oc10

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the report of the Viewers assessing the cost of constructing a bridge on Main street, over Saw Mill Run, Thirty-sixth ward, was this day confirmed "Nisi" by the Court of Quarter Sessions, to become absolute in ten days, if no exceptions are filed.
THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
oc10

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening of LIBERTY AVENUE from Thirty-third street to Centre avenue, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees.
THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
Pittsburgh, Nov. 9, 1874. no10

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, November 11, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Viewers' report on the opening of Home street from Centre street to Valley street, has been approved by Councils, which action will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten (10) days from date.
A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer.
no11

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, November 11, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Viewers' Reports on the construction of Butler street sewer, from Penn avenue to Thirty-fifth street, and on alley in rear of Fourth avenue from Decatur street to line J. F. Miller, have been approved by Councils, which action will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten (10) days from date.
A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer.
no11

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening of the following streets and avenues are in my hands for collection, and if not paid within 30 days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees.

Opening of Thirty-fourth street, from Carson street to Monongahela river.
Opening of Albert street, from Charles street to Bluff street.
Opening of Morris street, from Clark street to J. Gallagher's property.
Opening of Henry street, from Clark street to Bates street.
Opening of Charles street, from Henry street to Morgan street.
Opening of Camp street from Herron avenue to Jefferson street.
Opening of Iowa street from Herron avenue to Bellefield.
Opening of Adelaide street from Madison avenue to Iowa street.
Opening of Jefferson street from Ridge street to Alpine street.
Opening of Webster avenue from Kirkpatrick street to Thirty-third street.

THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
Pittsburgh, Nov. 13, 1874. no13

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening and grading of the following streets and avenues are now in my hands for collection and if not paid within thirty days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees:

Opening of Thirty-ninth street, from Penn avenue to Liberty street.
Opening of Mary street, from John street to Fortieth street.
Opening of Fortieth street from Penn avenue to Liberty street.
Opening of Broadway street, from Negley avenue to Hiland avenue.
Opening of Forty-fifth street, from Davison street to Penn avenue.
Opening of Carnagie avenue, from Fifty-fourth street to Fifty-fifth street.
Opening of Thirty-eighth street, from Penn avenue to Liberty street.
Opening of Howley avenue, from Thirty-eighth street to Fortieth street.
Opening and widening of Ellsworth avenue, from Neville street to Aiken avenue.
Grading of Pearl street, from Penn avenue to Liberty street.

THOS. S. BIGELOW,
City Attorney.
Pittsburgh, Oct. 19, 1874. oc23

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Nov. 13, 1874.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENT FOR grading, paving and curbing of PINE ALLEY from Evans alley to Darlington's west line, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until TUESDAY, November 24, 1874, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.
CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.
no13:172

OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, November 10, 1874.

NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENTS FOR the grading, paving and curbing of IRWIN AVENUE from Washington avenue to north line of Centre street, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until FRIDAY, November 20th, 1874, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.
CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.
no10:164

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Nov. 9, 1874.

Notice to Parties Interested

The report of the Viewers on the opening of GERST ALLEY, from its present terminus to Mill street, having been finally confirmed, notice is hereby given that the assessment for benefits are now due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer. If not paid within sixty days from this date, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessment, with interest, cost and fees.
JAMES BROWN,
Comptroller.
no9:160

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Nov. 9, 1874.

Notice to Parties Interested.

The report of the viewers on the opening of FEDERAL LANE, from R. Duncan's south line to Perrysville avenue, having been finally confirmed, notice is hereby given that the assessment for benefits are now due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer. If not paid within sixty days from this date, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, costs and fees.
JAMES BROWN,
Comptroller.
no9:159

LEGAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF THE intention to apply to the Honorable Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, under the provisions of the Act of Assembly, approved April 29th, 1874, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," for a perpetual charter of incorporation of the first class, not for profit, for THE TRADESMEN'S INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE. The character and object of said Institute is the support of scientific advancement of the industrial arts by any methods within the scope of such undertaking, and its business is to be transacted in the City of Pittsburgh.
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DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
FRIDAY, November 20, 1874.

The demand at the banks continues good, and the paper offered is to a large extent manufacturing and business paper. The offerings yesterday were relatively large, but not sufficiently so to test the capacities of the banks. Yet the fact that the demand continues is interpreted by our officers of banks as indicating a fairly active business. We are approaching the settling period, and this may partially account for the demand at the banks, but it is also true that there must be a good undertone of business to fully account for the monetary activity that is apparent. Real estate continues to be strongly held, notwithstanding the general decline in prices. In local stocks there is very little activity.

The principal interest, at present, as regards general monetary movements centres at Chicago, and refers to the pork and crop movements. Says the *Tribune*: "The orders from the country for currency were not so large to-day, in the aggregate, as yesterday, but they were still liberal in amount. Some of the country banks have about exhausted their deposits here, and, if they have occasion to use any more currency, must send on commercial bills for discount. The wet weather probably had something to do with discouraging shipment of hogs, but there can be nothing more than a temporary lull, as the farmers are sending the product in freely in order to obtain the high prices ruling. The fact that the proceeds of their sales are at once used by many of the farmers to discharge their indebtedness to country merchants, and by the latter to settle their accounts with the city jobbers, will cause the largest part of the currency that is now going into the country to flow back into the channels of city trade. The process will enrich all concerned. It will clear the country of debt, and will place the general business interests of the Northwest on as sound a basis as could be desired. The predictions of losses to the agriculturists of the West and of stagnation in trade that were made to depend on the low price of wheat have been falsified by the event. The high prices of corn, hogs, and other products, have enriched the farmers, and the wholesale business of this city—in which the country retail trade is aggregated—is in a strong and prosperous condition."

—The defalcation of Charles Wightman, book-keeper in the Pacific Bank at New York, is comparatively a small one, but is working into a very unpleasant mess. The defaulter is closely related to the President and other people in the bank, he is missing and cannot be found, and the "woman in the case" is annoying the officers of the institution by a cross action for trespass.

—The United States detectives have discovered—as they always do, to late—that the Western States have been flooded with skillful counterfeiters of national bank notes. This is a method of inflation which even the Western Senators will hardly approve as desirable.

—Judge Dillon, in the United States Circuit Court, has decided, in the suit of the First National Bank against Douglass county, that municipal taxes can be collected from national banks whose capital stock is in Government bonds.

—The Superior Court of Cincinnati decides that a mistake as to age, not fraudulent, in an insurance policy, does not vitiate the policy, but is subject to correction, even after the death of the assured, and the beneficiary can then recover the full amount.

—The cashier of the First Ward National Bank of Boston has disappeared, and his account is about $29,000 out of the way.

Luther S. Kauffman, Broker, No. 96 Fourth Avenue, furnishes the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

	Opened.	Closed.
Money		3½
Gold	111	111¼
U. S. Sixes—1881—coupons	119⅜	119⅝
5-20 1862	112⅝	112⅝
" 1864	114⅛	114⅛
" 1865	115⅛	115⅛
" 1865 new	118	118
" 1867	118¼	118⅜
" 1868—coupons	118⅝	118⅝
10-40's	112⅝	113
Currency 6's	118⅝	118⅝
New 5 per cents	112⅛	112⅛
10-40's—coupons	113⅛	113⅛
RAILWAYS.		
New York Central		101⅜
Erie	28⅝	28⅝
I. C.	96⅛	96
C. C. & I.	9⅛	9
St. Paul	37	36⅝
Do. Pref		54⅝
Michigan Southern	80⅞	80⅝
Do. Central	75	76
North Western Common	42	41⅝
Do. Pref	59⅛	59
Rock Island	100⅜	99⅜
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	87⅞	87½
Pacific Mail	45	44⅝
Western Union Telegraph	80⅛	80
Ohio & Mississippi	31⅛	32
Union Pacific	36⅛	35⅛
Toledo & Wabash	31⅛	31⅛
Harlem		130
Chicago & Alton	100	
Adams Express	118¼	120
American Express	64⅛	64
U. S. Express	64⅛	64⅛
W., Fargo & Co. Express	80⅝	80⅝
A. & P. Pref.		15⅛
Fort Wayne	94	
Merchants Union Express	28¼	20
Hannibal & St. Joseph	25⅛	24⅛
Canton	61⅛	
Panama	115	

Luther S. Kauffman furnishes the following quotations of active stock on the Philadelphia Stock Board to-day:

Penna Central	52⅛	
" " scrip	105⅛	105
Reading	54⅝	
Oil Creek	9	
Lehigh Valley	61⅛	
Central Transportation	45⅛	
P., C. & St. L. 7's	71⅛	

NEW YORK, November 19, 1874.

The specie shipments to Europe to-day were $430,000, of which $395,000 was in gold coin and the remainder in gold and silver bars. Five hundred thousand dollars Government gold was awarded to-day at from 110.98 to 111.07. Money is in fair demand at 3½@4; prime mercantile paper 5@6 for short time. Sterling was firmer at 485 and 489½ for sixty days and demand. The custom's receipts were $338,000. Gold opened at 111, declined to 110⅞, and closed at 111⅛. The carrying rates were 1, 1½, and 2, and the borrowing rate 3 per cent. to flat. The clearings were $43,000,000. The Treasury disbursements were $234,600. Government bonds were firm and in fair demand, closing steady. State bonds were quiet and nominal. Railroad bonds were firmer in tone, and business was well distributed. Stocks opened weak and prices declined ¼ and 1½ per cent. and Pacific Mail fell off from 45 to 43⅝. Later the market rallied, except in Pacific Mail which fell off ⅛ to ¼ more. Toward the close the whole market was weak, and a tendency to sell prevailed Rock Island fell off from 100⅛ to 99⅛, but recovered at the close and sold at 99⅜. Lake Shore was the strongest stock on the list. The transactions aggregated 195,000 shares, of which [illegible] were Western Union, 38,000 Pacific Mail, 6,600 Erie, 5,000 Lake Shore, 7,000 Union Pacific, 15,000 Northwestern, 9,000 St. Paul, 11,000 Wabash, and 17,000 Ohio & Mississippi.

The Stock Exchange Committee on Securities have notified the Exchange that in consequence of the appearance of counterfeit bonds, they direct that hereafter deliveries of Chicago & Northwest first mortgage seven per cent. coupon bonds, dated July 1, 1859, payable August, 1885, shall be bonds registered in a name, and not "to bearer," as heretofore. Genuine bonds can be registered at the office of the company.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad Company have notified the New York Stock Exchange of their intention to issue $7,000,000 of preferred stock in shares of $100 each.

Governments.—U. S. coupons of 1881, 119½; 5-20's of '62, 112¼; do of '64, 114⅛; do '65, 115⅝; do new, 118; do '67, 118⅛; do of '68, 118⅜; new 5s, 112⅝; 10-40s, 113⅛; currency 6s, 118⅜.

State Bonds.—Missouri sixes, 95; Tennessee, old, 74; do new, 74; Virginia new, 39; do old, 39; North Carolina, old, 20; do new, 15.

Stocks.—Canton, 62; Western Union Telegraph Company, 80; Quicksilver, 32½; Adams Express, 118⅛; Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, 80⅛; American Express, 64⅛; United States Express, 64⅛; Pacific Mail, 44⅛; New York Central, 101⅜; Erie, 28⅛; do. preferred, 43; Harlem, 130; do. preferred, 125; Michigan Central, 76⅛; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, 87⅛; Northwestern common, 41⅝; do. preferred, 59; Rock Island, 99⅜; New Jersey Central, 107⅛; St. Paul, 36⅛; do. preferred, 56; Toledo & Wabash, 31⅛; do. preferred, 41; Fort Wayne, 94; Terre Haute, 8; do preferred, 23; Chicago & Alton, 101; do. preferred, 107; Ohio & Mississippi, 31⅛; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 65; Burlington & Quincy, 103⅛; Lake Shore, 80⅛; Panama, 9; Illinois Central, 96; Union Pacific, 35⅛; Central Pacific, 95⅛; Union, 90⅛; Delaware & Lackawanna, 109⅛.

LONDON, November 19—5 P. M.—The bullion in the Bank of England decreased £523,000 the past week. The proportion of bank reserve to liability, which last week was 39½ per cent., is now 39⅜ per cent. The rate of discount in open market for three months' bills is 4½ per cent., which is ½ per cent. below the bank rate. Consols: money 93⅛; account 93⅛@93⅜; 5-20's of '65, 108⅛; do of '67, 109⅛; 10-40's, 104⅛; new 5s, 102⅛; New York Central, 95; Erie, 28⅛; do preferred, 43.

PARIS, November 19.—The specie in the Bank of France increased 11,321,000f during the past week. Rentes 61f 47½c.

COMMERCIAL.

Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.

PITTSBURGH DAILY MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
THURSDAY, Nov. 19, 1874.

Trade in general merchandise continues quiet, and the leading markets present but little that is new or important. The demand for almost everything is meagre, being restricted entirely to supplying immediate necessities, and the indications are that this policy will be closely adhered to during the balance of the year, or until there is a very decided improvement in the general outlook. It is hoped and expected that business will revive about the first of the year, but there is not much hope of any improvement in the meantime, and not only is trade restricted, but, as a rule, there is little or no money being made, the margin for profit, if there is any at all, is very small, and, hence is another serious cause of complaint.

APPLES—The arrivals continue to increase, and the stock is accumulating, and the market is dull, although prices remain unchanged, ranging from $1.50 to $2 per bbl for common to fair, and $2.50@3 for prime to choice.

APPLE BUTTER—In kegs, 60 to 65c.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—3½@4c ₩ lb.

BEANS—The market continues quiet, and prices remain unchanged; $1.90@2.25 ₩ bushel, the outside figure for navies.

BUTTER—The arrivals, although not large, are sufficient to keep up the supply, as the consumption is comparatively light, and while the market continues dull, prices remain unchanged; prime to choice roll, 27@30c; medium to good, 20@25; common, 12@15.

CHEESE—The market is fairly active, but devoid of a single new feature worthy of special notice. We continue to quote, in a regular jobbing way, at 16½@17 cents for Ohio Factory and 17½@18 for New York do.

CRANBERRIES—$10@11 ₩ bbl.

CHESTNUTS—Continue dull, and will soon be out of season; prices nominal at $2.50@3 ₩ bushel.

DRIED FRUIT—The supply, although not large, is increasing, and there is no improvement to note in the demand; prices as yet are not fairly established. Peaches (halves) quotable at 8 to 9c. and Apples at 5 to 6 cents.

EGGS—The arrivals of fresh continue light, but pickled continue to come in freely, and with these the market is well supplied; the former may be quoted at 28@29 and the latter at 20@25.

FLOUR—Continues dull, and prices have undergone no change since the date of our last report. Spring wheat flours, $5.75@6 for Wisconsin's and $6.00@6.25 for Minnesotas; winters, $5.75@6.25 for red and $6.75@7 for white. Rye Flour, $5.50@5.75.

GROCERIES—The grocery trade, like almost everything else, continues dull; it is not as active as it should be or usually is this season of the year, although, perhaps it is all we have reason to expect. Coffee, as noted in our last report, is firmer, but not quotably higher, and there is a stronger feeling as regards Molasses, under the influence of late advices from New Orleans, where there has been a reaction. Sugars continue dull and weak, with a drooping tendency.

SUGARS.			
Crushed	11¾	Standard B	10⅝
Granulated	11¼	Ex C Standard	10¼
Powdered	11¾	Demarara	9¾@10½
Standard A	10½	Porto Rico	8¾@ 9½
SYRUPS.			
Sugar house	35@40	Sugar Drips	60@65
Maryland	45	White Drips	60@70
Silver Drips	55	Extra Golden	70@75
COFFEES.			
Rio Good	20 @21	Roasted 1 lb pkg	26
Rio Prime	22 @23	Roasted loose	25½
Rio Fancy	24 @25	Roasted Java	40
RICE.			
Rangoon ₩ lb	7 @7½	Patna ₩ lb	7½@8
Carolina ₩ lb	8 @8½		
MOLASSES.			
Porto Rico	50@55	New Orleans	72@75
Demarara	50@55		

GRAIN—The offerings of Wheat in this market continue meagre, and with rather more inquiry, there is a stronger feeling, but no improvement in prices; we continue to quote Penna and Ohio red at $1.12@1.15 and white, at $1.18@1.20. The Oat market continues strong, with sales at the recent advance; we continue to quote mixed at 59@60 and white at 61@62, and even at these advanced quotations, it is claimed that the margin for profit is small, taking the cost at the source of supply into consideration. Corn is also firm and in limited supply, but prices remain about as last quoted; new ear, 70@72c; new Shelled, 73@75c; old Shelled, 83@85c. Rye is quiet, and in the absence of sales may be quoted nominally at $1@1.05. No 2 Spring Barley has further advanced in Chicago, being quoted on Wednesday, at $1.30@1.31.

HAY—The arrivals of baled continue meagre, and the market is growing stronger in consequence; we continue to quote, on track, at $18@23 per ton, according to quality. Loose is selling from country wagons at $25@30.

PROVISIONS—The market continues firm and fairly active, unusually so for this season of the year, and no decline need be look for as long as the prices of hogs continue to keep up to where they are at present, which are just about double what they were at the corresponding time last year. Following are the current rates:

Hams—Extra S. C. ₩ lb	13	Lard-Prime Leaf in tierces, ₩ lb	14¼
Shoulders, Ex S. C.	10½	Do., half barrels	14¼
B'fast Bacon, S. C.	14	Do., 50 lb. tins	15¼
Dried Beef, Ex. Sugar Cured, old	15	Do., 3 lb caddies	16¼
Beef Tongues Sugar Cured, ₩ doz.		Do., 5 lb do	16¼
Bacon Shoulders	9	Do., 3 lb pails	17
Short Rib Sides	13½	Do., 5 lb do	16½
Clear Sides	14	Do., 10 lb do	16¼
Mess Pork, ₩ bbl.	$21.50	Ham Sausage	10
Lard—Ref. in tres.	14¼	Lard Oil, per gal	$1.08
		Carbon Oil, per gal	
		Cheese, per lb	

POULTRY—Live Chickens, by the coop, 40@50c ₩ pair; dressed, 12@13c ₩ lb; live turkeys, 75c@$1 each; 15@16c ₩ lb.

POTATOES—The market continues slow and weak, being overstocked, and a good many are now being stored; prime Peach Blows may be quoted at 80c in bulk, by the car load, and 85c sacked; Early Rose and Peerless, 60@70c, as to quality and condition. Jersey Sweets, $4.75@5 ₩ bbl.

ONIONS—$3½@4 ₩ bbl.

RAGS—quiet and unchanged; good mixed, 2½@3 cts; woolen 4@5c ₩ lb.

TALLOW—Country 7@7½c; city, 8@8½.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CENTRAL STOCK YARDS,
THURSDAY, Nov. 19, 1874.

ARRIVALS.

Following were the arrivals of live stock from and including Sunday up until noon to-day, and, to afford a comparison, we append those of the corresponding time last week also:

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.
Sunday	71 cars.	58 cars.	19 cars.
Monday	56 "	14 "	7 "
Tuesday	60 "	25 "	38 "
Wednesday	62 "	56 "	17 "
Thursday	39 "	51 "	10 "
Total	295 "	204 "	91 "
Same time last week	273 "	146 "	86 "

CATTLE.

Receipts during the past 24 hours, 47 cars, making 295 cars for the week, against 273 cars during the corresponding time last week; the sales foot up 2,944 head, against 2,927 for the same time last week. As noted in our report of yesterday, the market has been active and firm all week, cattle sold just about as fast as they arrived, and that, too, at an advance of from 20 to 25 cents per cwt; we have had satisfactory markets for the selling interest three weeks now in succession, hence there is a better feeling, confidence is being restored, and it has been pretty well demonstrated that the bulk of the low grade cattle, such as producers were anxious to dispose of before the winter set in, have been marketed, and it is not likely that we will have any more gluts soon. As will be remembered, trade was very unsatisfactory all through September and October, not only here but all over the country, as there were more cattle forced upon the market than could be disposed of, and the natural result was ruinous low prices, owners not unfrequently losing freight, commission and shrinkage. Now, however, the situation has been reversed; there are but comparatively few cattle coming forward, as compared with September and October, and with a falling off in numbers, there is an improvement in quality. There were several prime droves of beeves on sale this week, one of which, as was noted in our report of yesterday, brought 7c—a good price for 70 head; there were other droves sold at 6½ to 6¾, and quite a number at 6@6¼. The purchases for shipment to Philadelphia footed up 65 cars, against 55 cars last week, while for New York there were 41 cars bought, against 25 cars the same time last week; the Philadelphia cattle this week ranged from 4½ to 6¾, an advance of fully one-fourth, taking the quality into consideration, while those for New York ranged from 7 cents downward. New York does not take as many as Philadelphia, but, as a rule, the York men buy a better grade of cattle—nearly all the good cattle offered in this market for some weeks past have been purchased for New York. The number purchased by country and transient buyers was comparatively light, 58 cars, against 95 cars last week, and the probability is that the demand from this source will continue to slack off, as it usually does at this season of the year; it is worthy of remark, however, that notwithstanding there was a diminished demand for common cattle in consequence, that prices were even higher, as the supply was meagre.

QUOTATIONS.

Extra 1,500 steers	6.50@7.00
Prime 1,400 steers	6.65@6.75
Prime 1,200@1,300 steers	6.00@6.25
Good 1,000@1,100 steers	5.25@5.75
Stockers, 700@900 lbs	3.00@4.00
Feeders, 900@1,000 lbs	4.50@5.00
Bulls, as to quality	2.50@3.25

HOGS.

Receipts during the past 24 hours 62 cars, making 204 cars for the week, against 146 cars during same time last week. The arrivals last night turned out considerably larger than were expected, and the market has reacted in consequence, notwithstanding the weather was more favorable, and our market has been lower relatively than those of the west all week. Prices have dropped from 15 to 25c ₩ cwt within the past 24 hours, and we were reliably informed that there were hogs sold here this forenoon that would have paid cost of transportation back to Chicago; Philadelphia hogs cannot, at this writing, be quoted above 7.40@7.60, against 7.50@7.75 yesterday, and 7.85@8.00 on Monday, showing a decline of 30 to 40c as compared with the early part of the week. It is certain, however, that the market here cannot remain in this anomalous condition much longer; either prices will have to go up here or down in the west, as in the present condition of affairs it will pay shippers this side of both Chicago and Cincinnati to ship to those markets, as prices are fully as high there as here, the cost of transportation less, and then the loss in shrinkage is not so large. Some holders were refusing to sell to-day in expectation of a reaction and higher prices within the next 48 hours, and we should not be surprised if their expectations were fully realized.

SHEEP.

Receipts during the past twenty-four hours 12 cars, making 91 cars for the week, against 86 cars same time last week. The market was scarcely as firm to-day as it was yesterday, although it was better during Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday than it was during the latter part of last week, but the "run," we apprehend, has been larger than was generally anticipated. The demand, it is probable, as is nearly always the case just preceding the holidays, will be more active for the finer grades of sheep, and this week, all of this kind sold quicker and at better prices relatively than the commoner grades. There were some 45 cars purchased for Philadelphia, and Erisman reports having purchased 20 cars for New York, averaging from 90 to 115 lbs, at prices ranging from 4.12 to 5.05, according to quality. As noted in our report of the 15th, there was a bunch averaging 130 lbs, which brought 6c. Prime 90 to 100 lb fine wool may be quoted at [illegible]; 100 to 115 lbs open wool, 5@5½; and 125 to 130 lbs, 5½@6c. Lambs quotable at 5½ to 6½c, according to quality.

PITTSBURGH DRUG MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
THURSDAY, November 19, 1874.

Corrected by HARRIS & EWING, Wholesale Druggists, corner Liberty and Tenth streets.

Acac., sorts	16a 35 lb	Oil, Anise	$3.50a4.60 lb
2d select	50a 55 lb	Bergam	7.00a7.50 lb
1st select	60a 65 lb	Cassia	2.00a2.20 lb
Acid, Citric	1.80a1.90 lb	Castor	18a22 lb
Oxalic	20a 24 lb	Lemon	4.75a5.00 lb
Tartaric	60a 65 lb	Linseed	85a 88 gal
Alcohol	2.05a2.20 gal	Neatsfoot	90a1.35 gal
Aloes, cape	16a 20 lb	Olive	1.25a2.00 doz
A Barb	40a 47 lb	" Qts	6.25a6.50 doz
Socot	75 lb	" Pts	3.25a3.50 doz
Alum	4½a 5 lb	Orange	4.25 lb
Amm., Aq.	8a 12 lb	Origanum	70a1.20 lb
Carb	25 lb	Pennyroyl	1.50a2.00 lb
Arnica, Flor	15a 20 lb	Pepperm't	4.50a5.00 lb
Assafoetida	35a 40 lb	Sassafras	80a 90 lb
Bals. Copaib	88a 98 lb	Winterg'n	5.75 lb
Canada	.75a 80 lb	Oss, Sphia	27a 35 lb
Bay Rum	3.75a2.50 gal	Pot, Bi Carb	30 lb
Bis, Sub car	3.30 lb	Bi Chrom	25 lb
Sub nit	2.35 lb	Bromide	60a 75 lb
Blue Mass	1.10 lb	Chlorate	34a 40 lb
Vitriol	12½a13½ lb	Iodid	3.65a3.85 lb
Borax, ref'd	18a 19 lb	Quinine	2.50a2.60 oz
Brim., Roll	4a 5½ lb	Root, Gent	12 lb
Flor. sulp	5a 6½ lb	Gin. E. I.	18 lb
Buchu	17a 25 lb	Gin. Jam.	30 lb
Calomel Am	2.20 lb	Ipecac P	1.88 lb
Camphor ref	30a 38 lb	Jalap P	85 lb
Camwood	5a 6 lb	Rhubarb	1.00a1.50 lb
Chamo, Ger.	48 lb	" Pow	1.00a1.50 lb
Rom	40 lb	Sar. Hond	58 lb
Chloral Hyd	2.40 lb	Sar. Mex.	28 lb
Chloroform	1.10a1.20 lb	Senega	95a 1.00 lb
Cincho, Pale	80 lb	Spigelia	45 lb
Red	1.30 lb	Val. Eng.	38 lb
Yellow	38 lb	" Ger.	25 lb
Cochineal	80a 90 lb	Saffron Am.	60a1.00 lb
Copperas	2a 3 lb	Sal Ammon	14a 16 lb
Cream Tar	48a 50 lb	Epsom	3a 5 lb
Cubebs	18a 20 lb	Glauber	2½a 4 lb
Dovers Po'd	2.10a2.15 lb	Rochelle	40 lb
Ergot	45a 50 lb	Soda	3a 3½ lb
Ether, Nit	42a 44 lb	Seed, Can'y	8½a 8¾ lb
Sul	65a 70 lb	Cardam	1.80a2.35 lb
Ex. Logw'd	11a11½ lb	Hemp	7½a 8 lb
Liqu. Cal.	44a 50 lb	Mustard	8a 10 lb
" Ital	30 lb	Senna, Alex	17a 22 lb
Fustic	3a 4 lb	E. I.	17a 22 lb
Glycer, Pure	23a 25 lb	Tinnev	28 lb
Bowers'	65 lb	Shellac	85a 95 lb
Indigo, Man	1.00a1.20 lb	Soap, Castile	[illegible]
S. F.	1.10a1.25 lb	[illegible]	[illegible]
Iodine	5.25a5 [illegible]	[illegible]	18a 21 lb
Iodoform	[illegible]	Soda Ash	4½a 5½ lb
[illegible]	24 oz	Bi Carb	6a 7 lb
Juniper Ber	7a 9 lb	Strych, Cry.	2.50a2.75 oz
Logwood	2½a 3½ lb	Pulv	2.70 oz
Madder	12a 17 lb	Sugar Lead	24a 25 lb
Magnes, Cal	80a1.00 lb	Turpen. spts	47a 52 gal
Carb	30a 35 lb	Var. Coach	1.88a4.00 gal
Manna, Fla.	60 lb	Copal	1.25a2.00 gal
Morph. Sul.	6.75 oz	Damar	1.50a1.80 gal
Nit. Silver	1.03 oz	Japan	.80a1.30 gal
Opium	10.20 lb	Venet. Red	2⅛a 4½ lb
Powd	13.60 lb	Whiting	1½a 2½ lb

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE,
THURSDAY, Nov. 19, 1874.

There is nothing new to record in regard to the Petroleum trade; business here in Pittsburgh continues very quiet, while as relates to prices, there is no quotable change. Crude is still quoted at 72½ cents ₩ bbl., at Parker, for immediate shipment. Refined continues very dull, and prices are nominally unchanged; New York delivery, 10⅝; Philadelphia, 10⅝; and Baltimore, 10⅝. The export demand is very limited, as stocks on the other side are understood to be more than ample, hence there is but little prospect of an immediate improvement. A New York exchange says prices are astonishingly low there, taking into consideration the late large advance in the seaboard transportation rates. The receipts of Crude have increased considerably within the past week or ten days, and some operators are at a loss to understand it; the question naturally arises, have freights been reduced, or is there a drawback allowed?

The Barrel trade continues very dull, and prices nominally unchanged; countries, 1.30; city make, $1.40.

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL PER ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper	Consignee.	Bbls.
Lockhart & F	Brilliant O W	2,381
N W Stevenson	Central O W	3,408
N W Stevenson	Radiant O W	1,173
J Bushnell	Crystal O W	1,159
Greer & C	Riverside O W	237
Greer & C	Paine A & T	[illegible]
Total		8,494

REFINED OIL EAST VIA A. V. R. R.

Waring Bros.	Waring Bros., Phila.	1,250

Butter and Eggs in New York.

NEW YORK, November 18.—Butter—Receipts for the week, 22,673 pkgs; do. last week, 24,037 do; same week last year, 24,238 do. Exports past week 161 firkins. The butter market has held quite a firm position during the past week, owing as before to the absence of fine and fancy table grades of State. Latterly the receipts are heavier, and there is more anxiety to sell, especially as the late receipts include a larger proportion of desirable stock. Interior quotations are reported weak at 37@38 cents; these rates have been paid for some respectable dairies, but at the present city quotations and the prospective tone of the market it makes pretty close business for operators to buy stock here and realize a profit. Western butter has lost much of its late flavor, and it is difficult to obtain outside rates for any grade noted. The quality of late supply has much to do with its dullness; much of it being flat in favor, and showing the effect of waning pasture. There is considerable call for Eastern use, but that class of trade is not so active as the preceding days of Thanksgiving usually are; still what is doing helps to reduce medium stock.

Eggs—Receipts for the week, 10,759 bbls; do last week, 10,243 do; same week last year, 8,535 bbls. There is a fair demand for fresh at the moderate quotations. Limed begin to find some place, but there is no real wholesale trade to note as yet. There is considerable storing on owners' account of both limed and fresh.

Chicago Lumber Market.

CHICAGO, November 18.—Another very quiet day was passed at the lumber dock. Nothing came in, and but one cargo was on the market, and that was sold early. Sellers are expecting a few vessels, but the receipts are not likely to be very large. There was some inquiry for cargoes to-day, to be sent to the country, but for the reason above given, buyers were unable to satisfy their wants. Prices were nominal, as follows: good to choice mill-run boards and strips, $12@27; common to fair do, $9.25@13; joists and scantling, $9.25@9.50; lath $1.75; shingles, $2.65@3.

Chicago Seed Market.

CHICAGO, November 18.—Timothy was in good demand and a firm feeling prevailed. Sold at $2@2.40 for common to good; prime about $2.45. There were a number of orders on the market for clover, but holders' views were generally above those of sellers, and the market ruled quiet; quotable at $5.10@5.35. Flax firm at $1.80 for good. Hungarian and millet were in demand at 72½c for former and 60@65c for the latter.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, November 19, 1874.

FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged.

GRAIN—Wheat steady and in moderate demand; No 1 spring 92c; No 2 88½c cash; 89½c seller December; 90½c seller January; No 3 84½@84¾c; rejected 80@81c. Corn active; No 2 mixed 79½c cash or seller November; 75c bid seller the year; 71c seller March; rejected old 75½c. Oats steady and in moderate demand; No 2 50½c cash; 49½c seller the year; rejected 48½@45c. Rye demand fair and market firm; 90c. Barley quiet; No 2 $1.29.

PROVISIONS—Pork active and closing quiet at $20 cash; $19.85 seller the year; $20.45@20.50 seller February. Lard steady; 13¾c cash; 13½ seller the year; 13⅝c seller February. Bulk meats; demand fair and market firm; shoulders 7c; short rib middles 9½@10c; short clear 10½c; all loose and partly cured. Green hams 10½c for 15 lbs average.

WHISKY—Steady and in moderate demand at 96c.

On open Board in the afternoon wheat closed at 89½@89⅝c seller December; 90c seller January. Corn 80c cash; 75½@75¾c seller the year. Oats steady and in moderate demand; 50½c seller November.

New York.

NEW YORK, November 19.—Flour quiet and lower; receipts 18,000 barrels; superfine western and State $4@4.40; common to good $4.75@5; good to choice $5.10@5.75; extra Ohio $4.80@6.75; St. Louis $4.85@8. Rye flour firmer at $4.30@5.80. Corn meal quiet. Wheat quiet and lower; receipts 175,000 bush; No 3 spring $1.04@1.06; No 2 $1.06@1.08; No 2 Northwest $1.08; No 2 Milwaukee $1.09½@1.12. Rye quiet at 94@96c. Barley and Malt steady. Corn dull and lower; receipts 133,000 bush; mixed western 91@93c; new do 85@88c. Oats dull; receipts 63,000 bush; mixed western in store 64½c; afloat 65@66½c; white western 66@68c. Hay, Hops and Groceries unchanged. Petroleum dull and easier; crude 5c; refined 10⅝@10¾c. Turpentine heavy at 35½c. Pork quiet and firm at $21. Beef quiet. Middles quiet; long clear 11½@11¾c; winter delivery 11c. Lard lower; prime steam 13⅞@13⅝c. Butter and Cheese quiet and unchanged. Whisky steady at $1.03.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, November 19.—Cotton steady at 14½c. Flour steady, with a moderate demand. Wheat firm at $1.05@1.08. Corn active; ear 66@68c; shelled 70c. Oats firm at 54@58c. Rye active at $1.05. Barley steady at $1.30. Eggs steady at 27c. Oils unchanged. Pork steady at $20 spot; $21.00 seller February. Lard firm at 14½@14⅝c. Bulk meats firm at 7¼, 7½, 10¼, 10½, 10½@10⅝c, all 10 to 20 days in salt. Bacon firm at 8½, 9½, 13@14c. Whisky firm at 98c. Green meats firm; 7½, 9½@9¾c. Hogs slow; medium to fair packing $7.20@7.65.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, November 19.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull; No 1 red western $1.22; No 2 $1.18; No 3 $1.15. Corn dull and nominal. Oats dull at 61@64c. Rye dull at 95@98c. Provisions strong and buoyant, but quiet. Mess Pork $21. Bulk meats: no old here; no sales of new. Bacon: shoulders very scarce at 10½@10¾c; sides 14@14½c. Sugar cured hams 15@16c. Lard 15@15½c. Butter very scarce; choice to fine tubs 35@36c; rolls 31@33c. Petroleum unchanged. Coffee nominally unchanged. Whisky quiet.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, November 19.—Petroleum nominal; refined 10½@10⅝c; crude 8c. Flour firmer; superfine $3.87½; Pennsylvania, Indiana and Ohio family extra $5.25@6.25. Wheat firm; red $1.24@1.26; amber $1.26@1.29. Rye $1. Corn firm; yellow old 94c; new 85@90c; western mixed 86c. Oats in improved demand at 62@65c. Whisky $1.03. Butter firm; western prime 35@38c. Cheese quiet; fancy New York and fine western 16@16½c; prime western 14@15c. Eggs scarce at 30@31c.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, November 19.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull and declined; No 2 white Wabash $1.16½; $1.16 offered; No 1 white Michigan $1.14; amber $1.07½; No 1 red $1.10. Corn dull and declined; new high mixed 68½c; seller November 68½c; seller January 67c. Oats steady and in moderate demand; No 1 54½c; No 2 and Michigan 53c; white 55c.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, November 19.—Cotton lower; middling 14½c. Flour unchanged. Wheat firm at 98c. Corn higher; 74@75c. Barley and Rye unchanged. Pork firm at $20. Green hams 10c; sugar cured hams 11c. Bacon: nothing doing. Lard active at 12½c. Hogs steady; common $6.25; good to choice $6.75@7.50. Cattle in good demand; prime to choice native steers $4.25@6.

Foreign.

LONDON, November 19.—Refined petroleum 8d. Turpentine 24s 3d. Linseed oil 25s.

LIVERPOOL, November 19.—Cotton steady; middling upland 7½d; Orleans 8⅛@8¼d; sales of 15,000 bales; American 3,800 bales; speculation and export 3,000 bales. Breadstuffs firm. Corn 36s 9d@37s. Lard 71s 6d. Bacon; long clear middles 51s.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, November 19.—Hay firmer; prime $26; choice $27.50. Pork in better supply and lower; new $22.50; old $23. Molasses firmer; inferior 25c; fair 35@42c; prime to choice 52@57c. Whisky scarce and higher; Louisiana $1.04@1.06; choice western $1.05. Others unchanged.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, November 19.—Flour dull but unchanged. Wheat: demand fair and market firm; No 1 Milwaukee 90½c; No 2 92c. Oats firm; No 2 50½c. Corn quiet; No 2 mixed 74½c. Barley firm; No 2 $1.34. Rye strong; No 1 93c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, November 19.—Wheat dull at $1.10@1.12. Corn steady at 68@70c. Oats steady and unchanged. Petroleum firm; standard white 8½c.

Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, November 19.—Flour steady at $5.50@6. Wheat steady at 90c@$1.10. Corn steady; ear 57c. Oats steady at 53@55c. Rye nominally 85@88c. Barley $1.20@1.25.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, November 19.—Cotton quiet at 12⅝@13⅛c. Flour quiet at $4.50@8. Wheat steady at $1.15. Corn 85c. Oats 65c. Lard 15c. Bulk meats firm at 8, 11½@11¾c. Whisky $1.03.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, November 19.—Cotton easy at 14@14½c. Flour firm. Corn dull at 85@87c. Oats dull at 65c. Pork firm at $22.75. Lard easier at 14½@15½c. Bulk meats firm at 8, 11@11½c.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, November 19.—Cotton easier at 14. Flour, Grain and Pork unchanged. Sugar cured hams 12@12½c. Bacon: shoulders 7½@7½c; sides 10¼, 10½@11c. Lard 14@14½c. Whisky 98.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, November 19.—Wheat firm but quiet; No 1 Milwaukee held at $1.20. Corn unsettled. Barley quiet and unchanged.

Detroit.

DETROIT, November 19.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat steady; amber $1.08½@1.09. Corn dull at 81@82c. Oats firm at 53½c.

Live Stock.

NEW YORK, November 19.—Beeves: receipts 1,620 head, making 3,570 for three days, against 4,026 for the same time last week; the market was firm but slow at an advance from Monday of about ½c; poor to good Texas and Cherokee cattle 7 to 10½c; poor to prime natives 9@13c. Sheep and Lambs: receipts 5,050 head, making 11,780 for three days, against 13,300 for the same time last week; the market was depressed and prices fell off ¼c on good stock and rather more on common; sheep ranged 4 to 6c; lambs from 6 to 7½c, with a few of the best at 7½c. Swine: receipts 9,900 head, making 19,290 for three days, against 23,490 for the same time last week; none offered alive; dressed are dull at 8⅞@8¾c.

BUFFALO, November 19.—Cattle: receipts for the week thus far 7,276; market dull for want of proper grades of stock; but few buyers were present; all fresh arrivals through consignments only; sales of 150 Illinois steers ranging 1,187 to 1,353 lbs at $5.35@6, 55 Indiana 1,168 to 1,255 lbs at $5.15@5.60, 61 Texas 877 to 947 lbs at $3.25@4.40, 61 Michigan 966 to 1,103 lbs at $4@5, 18 Cherokee averaging 892 lbs at $3.25, 18 Ohio averaging 908 lbs at $3.90. Sheep and lambs: receipts for the week 17,400; market dragged at yesterday's prices; Canada lambs $6.50@7; Canada sheep $4.75@5.00; western sheep $3.50@5; Canada stock all disposed of; sales of 1,800 western sheep ranging 79 to 98 lbs $4@5. Hogs: receipts for the week 37,200; market active; Yorkers $6.50@6.85; heavy hogs $7@7.25.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, November 19.—Cotton quiet; middling uplands 14⅝c; futures closed firm; sales of 14,400 bales, as follows: November 14 22-32c; December 14 25-32c@14 13-16c; January 15 8-32c; February 15 13-32@15 7-16c; March 15⅝c; April 16@16 1-32c; May 16 5-16@16 11-32c; June 16 19-32@16⅝c.

NEW ORLEANS, November 19.—Cotton in fair demand; sales of 5,750 bales; supply moderate; the prices in the general run of offerings and mixed list irregular, and in some cases active; good staple kinds firm and in request at very full prices; good ordinary to strict good ordinary 13½@13⅝c; low middling to strict low middling 14⅛@14⅜c; middling to strict middling 14⅝@14¾c; good middling to middling fair 14⅞@15⅛c; receipts 11,985 bales; exports: continent 6,040; Great Britain 4,725; stock 117,549; unsold last evening 16,900; on shipboard 94,000 bales.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, November 19.—There is an improved feeling in trade, and more activity in some departments. Cotton goods are in steady request, and heavy and four-yard browns are firmly held. Bleached cottons more steady. Corset jeans are in good demand. Some makes are closely sold up. Sideband prints are quick. Ginghams are doing well. Hosiery is more active. Woolen goods are quiet.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD—1 car g stone F Alden; 100 bbls lime W J Baughman; 50 bbls flour P Duff & Son; 100 do Shomaker & Co; 2 cars folay Zug & Co; 1 car brick B G Brown; 44 bdls paper Pgh Paper Mfg Co; 40 bbls apples Caldwell & C; 30 kegs butter 19 pkgs eggs and butter Voigt M & Co; 2 dressed hogs 2 bbls eggs Reymer Bro; 28 baskets grapes Vangorder & S; 6 cases wine W Lubbie; 20 rolls leather W E Schmertz; 33 green hides James Callery & Co; 15 bdls pipe National Tube Works; 20 bxs g ware Gallinger & Co; 1 car s pipe Wm Hutchinson; 132 bdls paper Godfrey & C; 13 bbls apples W H Graff & Co; 6 bundles sunds S Mayne; 16 m boxes E McLane; 4 bbls d fruit A Barnett; 20 do sunds Head C & Co; 3 tubs cheese Weisbrod & W.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R.—3 b hides S Hammett; 1 car e corn Keil & R; 2 bbls flour 2 ½ do do 3 sks do R S Robb; 4 bbls vinegar Heinz N & Co; 15 bkts tobacco L H Adler; 2 wardrobes J A Baldinger; 7 bdls t sides J Myers & Son; 8 coils rope G N Hoffstott; 5 tubs butter 2 bbls nuts J H Lob & Co; 52 bbls eggs 52 cases do E Fox & Co; 11 bbls molasses 5 hhds sugar Leubbe Bro; 1 bx tobacco 10 pails do Maul & G; 4 bdls w paper Beckfield & N; 5 hhds s c shoulders 3 trcs bacon Reese Owens; 2 bbls s c hams J H Parker; 8 bdls lumber J W Morrison; 1 car hay L G Graff & Co; 178 sacks corn Heckert & G; 25 bbls 20 sks meal 20 do flour F W Jenkins & Bro; 8 crates 1 bx iron W Springer; 5 bbls whisky S McCrickert; 10 bbls lard E H Myers & Co; 10 qr bbls tobacco 32 cads do W M Cooper; 75 bbls cement W W Wallace; 10 do flour J & A Delts; 15 sks meal Leubbe Bro; 10 bbls 20 sks do F W Jenkins & Bro; 20 bbls molasses Curry & M.

ALLEGHENY STATION—1 car ice K Blair; 3 bxs eggs 22 bbls apples J Herbert; 10 bbls flour J Cummings; 1 car s pipe Chas Brown; 2 do wheat D Gilmore & Co; 3 do lumber Mullen S & Co; 2 do do Reed Bro; 55 bxs soap J Scott; 90 bags bran Price Bro; 20 do flour Beckfield & N; 2 cars staves J M Hemphill; 20 sks flour Thos Robertson; 40 do Koerner Bro; 60 do George McFerron; 1 car lumber H B Nease; 1 car lime Holmes & Co; 5 sks bw flour H Kleneman; 1 car potatoes Carter Bro; 1 car lumber J H Morrison; 15 bbls 40 sks flour J F Minick; 1 car middlings Hack & S; 1 car staves H C Rhodes; 1 car shingles A Patterson; 24 sks flour J Harricks; 5 bbls tallow W Walker; 1 car potatoes J P Padden; 1 car lumber M Simon; 100 bbls flour Roberts & S.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—32 bdls hides G N Hoffstott; 100 bbls hominy Arbuckles & Co; 50 h wines Shipton & W; 2 cars potatoes 11 bbls eggs Voigt M & Co; 100 do flour J J Howard; 6 do 100 sks do E Askens; 40 bbls apples B Goff; 10 bbls 49 sks flour A Coleman; 40 bales husks E Edmundson; 2 cars potatoes G W Hulett; 1 do do J White Jr; 112 bbls apples 15 do onions Gilmore E & Co; 1 car hay O H Allerton; 6 bbls hams E H Myers & Co; 2 do alcohol R E Sellers & Co; 10 bbls liquor C Einstein; 15 do J O'Connor; 100 bbls flour Elwood & McC; 200 do T C Jenkins; 1 car barley Kranenheim & V; 1 car pickles Heinz N & Co.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.—35 cars coal Armstrong D & Co; 61 do N Y & C G C Co; 32 do Sable Coal Co; 14 do stone Kloman C & Bro; 3 do do Shoenberger B & Co; 5 do J L Lowry; 2 do J Swan; 4 do lumber Barton & K; 2 do E Bindley; 1 do R M Leonard; 1 do A S Shaffer; 1 do Union P Mill; 1 do H C McKown; 1 do Hahn H & Co; 1 do bark Lappe & W; 2 do potatoes H W Williams Jr; 3 do t iron Schall H & Co; 1 do lime W J Baughman; 2 do clay Reed & H.

RECEIPTS AT PITTSBURGH GRAIN ELEVATOR—1 car middlings J M Peet; 1 car corn L G Graff & Co.

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

Graff B & Co	[illegible]		
CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.			
Zug & Co	5	Painter & Son	3
Cambria Iron Wks	5	S. H. & Co	3
Glass N & Co	2	Lucy Furnace	3
Reese G & W	2	Pgh Bolt Co	3
Dilworth P & Co	2	McConway P & Co	2
Byers McC & Co	2		
Total			26
PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R. LESSEE.			
Nimick & Co	[illegible]	J Reamer	4
Rogers & B	3	Lewis O & P	4
Total			15

RIVER NEWS.

State of the Rivers. Movements of Steamboats, &c.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATION, SIGNAL SERVICE U. S. ARMY.—DAILY REPORT OF THE STAGE OF WATER, WITH CHANGES IN THE 24 HOURS ENDING 3 P. M.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 19, 1874.

Stations.	Above low water ft.	in.	Change—or+ ft.	in.	Dir'n of Wind.	State of Weather.
Boonville, Mo.	2	11			Calm	Hy Rain.
*Brownsville, Pa.		10		+5	W	Fair.
Brunswick		5			NE	Lt Snow.
Cairo, Ill	6	1		+7	NE	Cloudy.
Cincinnati, O	2	4		+2	E	Cloudy.
Confluence		2		+2	Calm	Fair.
Davenport, Iowa	4			—1	NW	Lt Rain.
Evansville, Ind	1	7		—1	E	Cloudy.
Freeport, Pa	1			+11	SE	Fair.
Hermann, Mo	1	9			NE	Hy Rain.
Keokuk, Iowa	4	5			NE	Lt Snow.
*Leavenworth		4			NW	Lt Snow.
Lexington, Mo	2	1			E	H Snow.
Little Rock, Ark.	1	7			NW	Lt. Rain.
Louisville	2	7		+2	N	Cloudy.
Marietta	2	8		+2	SE	Cloudy.
Memphis, Tenn	3	6		+11	NW	Cloudy.
Nashville, Tenn	10	9	+1	10	E	Lt Rain.
*New Geneva, Pa.	2	3	+2	3	W	Cloudy.
Oil City, Pa	1	5			SE	Cloudy.
Omaha, Neb	2	7			N	Cloudy.
Paducah, Ky	3	6		+7	N	Clear.
Pittsburgh, Pa	1			+3	NE	Cloudy.
Plattsmouth	2	1	+1	2	N	H Snow.
Shreveport, La	4	9		—5	NW	Lt Rain.
St. Joseph, Mo	1	3			NW	Lt Snow.
St. Louis, Mo	7	8		+1	NE	Lt Rain
St. Paul, Minn	3	5	+1	8	SW	Cloudy.
Vicksburg, Miss.	3	4	+2	2	NW	Cloudy.
Warsaw, Ills	4	9			NE	Lt Snow.
Yankton, D. Ty.	2			—5	SW	Lt Snow.
Morgantown		11		+5	N	Cloudy.
Helena	4	7		+9	NW	Cloudy.
LeClaire	2	3			NE	H Snow.
Dubuque	6	1		+1	Calm	H Snow.
LaCrosse	4			—1	SW	Cloudy.

*Below bench mark.

GEORGE H. ROHE,
Sergeant, Signal Service, U. S. A.

The stage of water last evening was about 26 inches and rising slowly. Cloudy and cool, and the prospects for anything like a resumption of navigation are anything but encouraging.

The West Virginia, recently purchased for the Gallipolis and Kanawha River trade, will take her departure for Gallipolis this morning. She will not take any freight.

The Messenger, Capt. Vandergrift, will be the first boat out for St. Louis, and the Iron Mountain will doubtless be the first departure for New Orleans.

Capt. Wm. Baugh, a well-known steamboatman, died at St. Louis on Tuesday last, aged seventy-one years.

—The line of steamers that will ply between Cincinnati and New Orleans the coming season will differ in number character and officers from the line that started in last season. There will be only nine steamers, viz.: The Thomas Sherlock, commanded by Captain H. U. Hart, same as last year; Chas Morgan, an elegant new steamer, commanded by Captain Albert Stein, who last year had the John Kilgour; Charles Bodmann, Captain O. P. Shinkle—same as last year; Nick Longworth, Captain Ben M. Merrielees, instead of Captain Lew Kates, as last year; Louisville, Captain A. F. Power, same as last year; Charles B. Church, Captain John S. Patterson, same as last year; Indiana, Captain W. J. Rusk, instead of Captain Reub Neal, as last year when Captain Rusk commanded the H. S. Turner, now withdrawn from the trade; Robert Mitchell, which will enter the trade under command of Lew Kates; Cherokee, which has joined the line, under Captain Geo. Wolf, and the Exporter, Capt. James Rees, Jr.

—The following are the names of the officers and members of the Pilots' Association at Evansville: Joshua V. Throop, Senior Officer; Frank F. DeSouchet, Secretary and Treasurer; James Damron, A. H. Smith, Wm. Luty, J. C. C. Miller, A. J. Briscoe, James Wells, S. H. Briscoe, James Matheney, W. W. Phillips, W. H. Matheny, W. P. Jarvis, A. J. Angel, H. F. Greane, Jas. Stevens, Thomas Settlemeir, John H. Throop, Jr., G. H. Burnett, John Carroll, James W. Roach, John McCune, W. H. Rollins, R. P. Ballowe, John S. Allen, Wm. H. Pell, John H. Newman, E. F. Ballowe, J. N. Fell, James Till, John Weed, Thos. N. Hunt, James A. Carroll, Henry Carroll, Wm. Austin, H. V. Thompson, C. P. Yarbrough, Thomas M. Dantley, Thomas Bolus, John Lankford.

—The Cincinnati and Memphis line this year will consist of the Arlington, Capt. Dan. Moore, Andy Baum, Capt. Hiram Vinton; Vint. Shinkle, Capt. Joseph Keniston (an addition since last year); Jas. D. Parker, Capt. R. W. Wise; Minneola, Captain John N. Shunk, and H. S. Turner, Captain not named (an addition). The Pat. Rogers and Ben. Franklin were in the line last year. The former was burned, and the latter has withdrawn from the Memphis trade.—*Cin. Gazette.*

—Yesterday's Wheeling *Intelligencer* says a well informed gentleman places the damages to the steamer Andes, by running upon a log recently at Rising Sun Bar, at $1,500 or $2,000...... The steamer Ida Leon, recently sunk in the Red River, was built here. She was owned by Messrs. Lord & McPeake, and commanded by Capt. B. Fulton.

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RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—On and after SUNDAY, Nov. 15th, 1874, trains will leave Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows:
CITY TIME.
MAIN LINE EASTWARD.

PACIFIC EXPRESS daily, except Monday, at 2:51 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 12:05 p. m., Philadelphia 4:15 p. m.; New York 7:35 p. m., Baltimore 4:25 p. m., Washington 6:02 p. m.

DAY EXPRESS daily, at 7:56 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 3:45 p. m., Philadelphia 7:30 p. m., New York 10:30 p. m., Baltimore 7:35 p. m., Washington 9:20 p. m.

MAIL TRAIN daily, except Sunday, 8:11 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 8:40 p. m.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS daily, at 12:51 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:05 p. m., Philadelphia 3:10 a. m., New York 6:50 a. m., Baltimore 3:15 a. m., Washington 6:20 a. m.

PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily except Sunday, 4:21 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 2:25 a. m., Philadelphia 6:50 a. m., New York 10:10 a. m.

FAST LINE daily, at 7:46 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 4:40 a. m., Philadelphia 8:40 a. m., New York 11:45 a. m., Baltimore 8:35 a. m., Washington 10:02 a. m.

WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 10:21, 11:46 a. m., 2:41, 5:41, 6:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 12:51 p. m.

BRINTON ACCOMMODATION 6:06, 7:06 a. m., 5:01 and 9:21 p. m. Sunday 9:21 p. m.

WILKINSBURG ACCOM. 7:11 p. m.

JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION 3:31 p. m.

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.

Trains arrive at Union Depot, as follows, city time:

Mail Train daily, except Monday .... 1:21 a. m.
Fast Line daily except Monday .... 1:41 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express daily except Monday 8:11 a. m.
Cincinnati Express daily .... 8:41 a. m.
Pacific Express daily .... 1:41 p. m.
Way Passenger daily .... 8:21 p. m.

Wall's Accommodation 6:36 a. m., 1:21, 2:41, 5:46 and 7:51 p. m. Sunday 10:01 a. m.
Brinton Accommodation 7:31, 8:31 and 9:06 a. m., 7:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 7:11 p. m.
Wilkinsburg Accommodation 9:21 p. m.
Johnstown Accommodation 10:16 a. m.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION.

From Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, city time.

MAIL TRAIN, connecting for Butler 6:36 a. m.
EXPRESS, connecting for Butler .... 2:16 p. m.
FREEPORT ACCOM., 9:16 a. m. and 4:46 p. m.
On Sunday, 12:51 p. m.
SPRINGDALE ACCOM., 11:21 a. m., 6:21, 8:41 and 11:21 p. m.
MARKET TRAIN FOR BUTLER, 3:21 p. m.

Trains arrive at Federal street Depot, city time:
Express, connecting from Butler .... 10:21 a. m.
Mail Train, connecting from Butler .... 5:41 p. m.
Freeport Accommodation 8:16 a. m. and 1:41 p. m.
On Sunday 9:51 a. m.
Springdale Accom., 6:51 a. m., 3:51, 7:11 and 11:21 p. m.
Market Train from Butler 9:11 a. m.

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ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—On and after THURSDAY, Oct. 8th, 1874, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Hulton Accom.	6:40am	Hulton Ac.	6:30am
Day Ex.	7:50am	Night Express	7:25am
Kittanning Ac.	11:30am	Soda Works Ac	8:30am
Oil City Ex.	2:40pm	Kittanning Ac.	9:50am
Kittanning Ac.	4:40pm	Oil City Ex.	2:20pm
Hulton Ac.	5:55pm	Kittanning Ac.	5:40pm
Night Ex.	8:25pm	Day Express	6:15pm
Hulton Ac.	10:50pm	Hulton Ac.	7:20pm

Day Express daily to Corry; on Sundays to Oil City only. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Day Express connects at Red Bank for Brookville, Driftwood, Williamsport and all points north-east.

Church Train leaves Soda Works at 8:32 a. m., arriving at Pittsburgh at 10:10 a. m.; returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m., arriving at Soda Works at 2:23 p. m., stopping at all stations.

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J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Superintendent.
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PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY, CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.
On and after Nov. 15th, 1874, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:13am	Atlantic Ex.	2:33am
Chicago Mail	6:13am	Wheeling Ex.	10:53am
Cl. & Wh'g Mail.	6:53am	Chicago Ex.	12:28pm
Erie & Asht. Ex.	7:53am	Erie & Ash. Ex.	2:43pm
Chicago Ex.	9:53am	Chicago Mail	3:43pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	1:53pm	Cleveland Ex.	3:53pm
Pacific Ex.	2:13pm	Ch. & St. L. Ex.	7:18pm
Wellsville Ex.	4:28pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	7:33pm
Erie & War Ex.	4:38pm	Erie & Ash. Ex.	11:28pm
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	8:38am	Leetsdale Ac.	6:53am
Leetsdale Ac.	10:28am	Leetsdale Ac.	7:43am
Leetsdale Ac.	12:08pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	8:13am
Sharps. & As. Ac	1:13pm	Enon Accom.	8:48am
Enon Accom.	3:48pm	Sharps. & As. Ac	9:53am
Leetsdale Ac.	5:13pm	Leetsdale Ac.	12:53pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:23pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	2:13pm
Leetsdale Ac.	8:28pm	Leetsdale Ac.	4:28pm
Leetsdale Ac.	10:58pm	Leetsdale Ac.	7:43pm
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	12:43pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:53am

Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.

Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Atlantic Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.

All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.

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Leave Pittsburgh at 7:40 a. m. on Erie Express and arrive at Oil City 2:55 p. m.

Leave Allegheny at 1:13 p. m. on Sharpsville Accommodation and arrive at Oil City 8:35 p. m.

Leave Oil City at 6:45 a. m. and by the Erie Express, arrive at Pittsburgh 2:38 p. m.

Leave Oil City at 4:30 p. m. and by the Erie Express, arrive in Pittsburgh 11:28 p. m.

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On and after MONDAY, Oct. 12, 1874, and until further notice, Trains will leave and arrive at Depot, 226 Carson street, South Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Through Mail.	6:10am	Homestead Ac.	7:00am
Monongahela Ac	11:15am	Through Mail	8:30am
Fast Line	3:55pm	Fast Line	10:40am
Homestead Ac.	6:15pm	Pittsburgh Ac.	6:05pm

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:00 p. m., arriving at Monongahela City at 3:05 p. m.

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DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Uniontown Ac.	6:30am	McKeesport Ac.	6:45am
Through Mail	8:00am	McKeesport Ac.	7:35am
Mixed Way	9:25am	W. Newton Ac.	8:25am
McKeesport Ac	11:00am	Through Ex.	8:50am
McKeesport Ac.	3:15pm	Uniontown Ac	10:15am
Uniontown Ac.	3:45pm	McKeesport Ac	12:00 m
McKeesport Ac	4:25pm	McKeesport Ac	2:00pm
W. Newton Ac	5:15pm	McKeesport Ac	6:10pm
McKeesport Ac	6:20pm	Uniontown Ac.	5:40pm
Through Ex.	8:00pm	McKeesport Ac	7:35pm
McKeesport Ac	11:15pm	Through Mail	9:20pm
W. Newton Ch T	12:45pm	W. Newton Ch T	10:05am

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On and after SUNDAY, November 15, 1874, Trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:03am	McDonald's Ac	7:13am
Columbus Mail.	7:13am	Washington Ac.	8:13am
Washington Ac.	8:43am	Steubenville Ac.	9:38am
Pacific Express.	9:03am	Cincinnati Ex.	7:38am
McDonald's Ac	10:43am	McDonald's Ac	2:05pm
Pittsburgh Ex.	2:13pm	Washington Ac.	3:58pm
Steubenville Ac.	3:28pm	Columbus Mail.	12:33pm
Washington Ac.	4:58pm	Fast Line	7:38pm
Mansfield Ac.	6:13pm	Southern Ex.	2:38am
McDonald's Ac	10:58pm	McDonald's Ac	7:40pm
Sunday Church.	12:48pm	Sunday Church.	10:03am

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Fast Line and Cincinnati Express arrive daily.
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Allegheny Street Committee.

The Street Committee of Allegheny Councils met last evening, Mr. Patterson in the chair. An ordinance was ordered to be prepared for the widening of Vinial street, from Ohio street to Perry street, to a width of 50 feet. The ordinance for a main sewer on Federal street was ordered to be prepared for presentation to Councils at their next meeting. A number of other papers were taken up but laid over until the next meeting.

The Agreement Between the Oil Refiners and the Columbia Conduit Company.

In our issue of yesterday, mention was made of a conference of the leading oil refiners of the city and the Columbia Conduit Company, relative to the conveying of oil through the pipes of the latter. Yesterday morning a similar conference was held at the office of the Conduit Company, at which it was stated the capacity of the company would be about 5,000 barrels of oil daily. The refiners at once agreed to accept all the oil and authorized the Pipe Company to commence the delivery of the oleaginous fluid in the city within thirty days. The contract will be put in writing in a few days, and, unless unforseen difficulties are encountered, the contract will be consummated.

Another Railroad Project.

The extension of the Western Maryland Railroad to Johnstown is now being agitated. The link suggested is from Hagerstown to Johnstown, connecting with the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, distance one hundred miles, through Franklin, Fulton, Bedford, Somerset, and Cambria counties, Pennsylvania. The route surveyed, though mountainous and costly, would greatly shorten the distance between Baltimore and all western points. It is estimated that ten millions of dollars would construct the road, and fully equip it for a paying business, which it is confidently predicted by its projectors would follow. Efforts will doubtless be made to induce the city of Baltimore to provide the ways and means.

The Grain Dealers.

At the meeting of the Corn and Produce Exchange the President appointed the Committee on Arbitration as follows: Messrs. S. L. McHenry, Fred Kennedy, W. H. Graff, H. J. McCracken, Joseph Fairly, S. Roberts, Wm. Culp, Joseph Dorrington, Theo Ortwein, A. D. Thompson and W. Miller.

On motion of Mr. Marshall, a Committee was appointed on the Charter Association, as follows: Messrs. A. M. Marshall, John Hood and R. S. M'Cague.

A committee was also appointed to confer with the Pittsburgh, Washington and Baltimore Railroad Company with reference to an elevator. The chair announced the following as the committee: S. L. McHenry, F. Kennedy, J. Rose, J. McCracken and S. Roberts.

On motion adjourned.

Allegheny Wooden Buildings.

The Committee on Wooden Buildings of Allegheny Councils met last evening and decided to recommend ordinances to Councils allowing the erection of frame buildings as follows, provided the parties pay the fee required by ordinance: Casper Path, a frame building on East street; John Schmitt, a frame stable on Evans alley; Wm. Gass, frame ice house on Stanton avenue. The petition of John Haworth for permission to erect a frame stable on Troy Hill was laid over, for want of information in regard to the matter. The resolution referred to the committee by Councils, directing them to prepare an ordinance to exempt all suburban districts from the effects of the ordinance prohibiting the erection of frame buildings, was referred to the Engineer with instructions to prepare the lines of the districts which are suburban. Adjourned.

Obituary.

Our readers have already been informed of the death of Mr. John F. Macfarlane, whose remains are expected to arrive on Saturday, from Colorado Springs, whither he went some three years ago, hoping to recover his lost health. His disease, which was contracted in the army, however, was too deeply seated, and despite the salubrity of the climate, the skill of his physicians and the assiduous care of his new friends in Colorado, he grew worse, and finally on Saturday, the 15th inst., he breathed his last. Mr. Macfarlane was a native (we believe) of Adams county, Pennsylvania, but came to this county 12 to 15 years ago with his father, who settled at Wilkinsburg, where he has resided ever since. Mr. Macfarlane was engaged with his father in the coal business, and enjoyed with a numerous acquaintance the reputation of an active, energetic and honorable man of business. His age was 29 years. He was unmarried, and had always been a much endeared son and brother in the parental home. His untimely death will be a sore affliction to the stricken family, and will be long lamented by his many attached personal friends.

The Bethel and Young Men's Home

As the inclement season has begun we think it a duty to suggest that this most useful—we might say indispensable institution—needs support and besides the liberal contributions expected from the good men and women of our cities, valuable help can be extended by many citizens who spend their money elsewhere if they will take their meals at the Home. An excellent table, as very many merchants and others who have tested the matter can testify, is served in the front dining hall every day, at very moderate charges, to wit: Dinners 30 to 40 cents each; breakfast and supper 25 cents each; Lodging 40 to 50 cents; Board and Lodging per day $1.00 to $1.50; per week (regular) $4 to $5; board and room per week (regular) $5 to $7.50. Gas, water-closets and bath rooms on each floor. Profits all used to shelter and feed the destitute.

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A SERIOUS CHARGE.

Arrest of James Niess on a Charge of Murder—He is Committed for Trial.

It will be seen in our Court column to-day that a non suit was taken in the case of J. C. Andrews against the Pittsburgh and St. Louis Railroad Company, and the plaintiff now seeks the punishment of the party, whom, it is alleged, pushed his son off the platform of the cars, when he received injuries which caused his death.

An information was accordingly lodged before Alderman Kreuter yesterday against James Niess, the brakeman in question, charging him with the murder of deponents son on the first day of November, 1873. A warrant was placed in the hands of officer Clem Kreuter, who promptly arrested the defendant, and he was brought before the magistrate. At the hearing Mr. J. McCoy testified that Neese pushed the younger Andrews off the train near the mouth of the Panhandle tunnel, resulting in his death at the above mentioned date. It will be remembered that Andrews, after having been shoved off, was run over, the wheels of the train passing over him, cutting off one leg at the hip joint, and the other leg at the knee joint.

The unfortunate young man was taken to the Homœopathic Hospital, and died there a few hours afterwards from the injuries received. After hearing the testimony in the case, the prisoner was committed to answer to the charge at court.

THE FELBER CASE.

A False Fabrication—An Investigation and What it Led To—Mayor Fleming Clearly Exonerated.

A few days ago an item appeared in this and other city papers, giving an account of an alleged highway robbery, in which Mr H. J. Felber was the victim. The story was to the effect that Mr. Felber had been attacked by two men on Cedar avenue, Allegheny, but that he knocked one of the men senseless, and the other fled. The defeated highwayman was then captured, taken to the lockup and furnished with lodgings for the night—he recovering sufficiently to give his name as John Thompson.

Next morning (Saturday), at the hearing, Mayor Fleming was reported to have sent Thompson to the work house for ninety days, a punishment totally at variance with the nature of the charge. Mr. Felber, it is said, gave at the hearing the name of Burns, not wishing to have his own cognomen appear in this connection.

Such in substance was the story as told by Mr. Felber and published.

When the story got into print it created some surprise around the Mayor's office, inasmuch as neither Mayor Fleming nor any officer had any knowledge of the case. Inasmuch, however, as the story gave out that the Mayor had sent a man to the work house for highway robbery, His Honor, made an investigation, when it was proven that no such arrest as the one described took place on the Friday evening named; no such man as Thompson was arrested; no such charge was entered on the docket, and that no person was sent to the Work House for the period named. It then was shown that Mr. Felber told the story himself, and that from his statement the item was made. The burden was thus taken from the Mayor's shoulders, who clearly proved the falsity of the story and thus exonerated himself from the implied charge of having gone outside his province to sentence a highway robber, and then conceal the irregularity. We take pleasure in noting the facts as developed in the investigation, and in placing His Honor right on the record.

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THE TAXPAYER'S REFORM.

Meeting of the Union Yesterday Afternoon—Hon. Thos. M. Marshall Decides Against the Validity of the Late City Election—His Opinion in Full—The Mayor to be Petitioned to Issue Another Proclamation—Resolutions Regarding the Road Commissioners.

A regular meeting of the Taxpayers Central Executive Committee was held yesterday afternoon in the Bank of Commerce building, Mr. Geo. S. Finley in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Judge Mellon from the Committee on Municipal Hall reported progress. He said that two meetings had been held and that still others will be held until the business it proposes to submit is in proper shape. He also stated that at the joint meeting of the Committees on Finance and the Legality of the late City Election, the latter question had been submitted to an Attorney, but his opinion had not yet been presented, although its reception is looked for soon, after which a report will be made.

Considerable discussion was indulged in regarding the proposed investigation of the workings of the High School, and of the management of school affairs by a number of the local boards of various wards. Mr. John Dunlap said he had no wish to be understood as opposing the common school system. On the contrary, he favored it, but only so far as it fits the children of the community for the actual duties of life.

Judge Mellon said that the Committee on Public Works is engaged in watching the progress of the testimony regarding the rising mains contract, which is being taken before a Master in Chancery, and he stated that some very important points are being developed.

There was some further debate on the school question, when the whole matter was finally disposed of by referring it to the High School Committee.

While the above discussion was going on a messenger came in and handed to the President the opinion of Hon. Thomas M. Marshall concerning the validity of the Municipal election held in February last. It is as follows:

Gentlemen—The question submitted for my opinion "as to the validity of the municipal election held in this city in February last," arises mainly upon the interpretation which may be given to section 3 of article 8 of the new Constitution, which reads: "All elections for city, ward, borough and township officers for regular terms of service shall be held on the third Tuesday of February." In pursuance of this section, a city election was held on the third Tuesday of February, 1874, for officers whose terms of service could not commence before the first of February, 1875.

Was this election valid? In considering this question we must examine not only the Constitution and laws in force at the time of the election, but as well the usage which has prevailed in Pennsylvania in the election of municipal and local officers. The new Constitution having effected radical and important alterations in the political and legal administrations of State affairs, the Constitution being a source rather than an administration of power, required legislative aid to give it working capacity. Hence the Constitution provides for and imposes upon the legislative department of the Government the duty of enacting such laws as may be found necessary and suitable to the due administration of the principles of the organic law. This is manifest from the "schedule" of the Constitution, the preface of which is "That no inconvenience may arise from the changes in the Constitution of the Commonwealth, and in order to carry the same into complete operation it is hereby declared," &c. The thirty-three sections of the schedule which follow are directory of the means to secure convenient and intelligent application of the organic law. Section 1, Provides "this Constitution shall take effect on the first day of January, 1874, for all purposes not otherwise provided for therein." Section 31. Directs "the General Assembly at its first session or as soon as may be after the adoption of this Constitution, shall pass such laws as may be necessary to carry the same into full force and effect." This section imposed a general duty upon the Legislature to pass such laws as may be necessary to give efficient working power to the Constitution when the same might be adopted by the people. A discretion as to time was lodged in the Legislature, and that no hurt or damage might ensue to the body politic before the Legislature would exercise its powers and duty in the premises, special provision was made in other sections of the schedule to prevent special mischief or—in particular cases.

The framers of the Constitution had one central idea or controlling purpose which is manifest all through the instrument—to establish, as far as possible, uniformity in the making and administration of law throughout the Commonwealth. This will occur to the most casual reader of the Constitution. In article VIII section 1 the general election is changed from the second Tuesday of October to "the Tuesday next following the first Monday of November. And in section 3 of same article before quoted, the election of city, ward, borough and township officers" is made uniform on the third Tuesday in February. It was well known to the members of the Convention, elected as they were from every portion of the Commonwealth, that the changes in the election laws from the second Tuesday of October to the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November, and from the various days prevailing in different localities for the election of city, ward, borough and township officers to the third Tuesday of February would create numerous vacancies, the terms of many of the officers expiring before the third Tuesday of February. To meet any mischief or inconvenience which could arise in consequence of these changes, the 26th section of the schedule provides "All persons in office in this Commonwealth at the time of the adoption of this Constitution and at the first election under it, shall hold their respective offices until the term for which they have been elected or appointed shall expire, and until their successors shall be duly qualified, unless otherwise provided in this Constitution."

In the construction or interpretation of Constitutions or laws there are certain rules which are fundamental, to ascertain the intent and purpose of the maker—to give force and effect to every part and word of the Constitution or law if possible. In searching for the purpose, for the meaning and purpose of the framers, we must, therefore, give operation and force to the 26th section before quoted. Can this be done if elections are held in the winter of 1874, filling official terms which cannot commence to run until the winter of 1875? No vacancies could occur, and the section under consideration was ordained without purpose or effect. What was the intention of the framers of the Constitution? Was it to establish the anomaly of the election of local representatives in 1874, whose official representation could not commence for nearly a year afterwards? If elections may be held a year previous to the induction into office, to prevent the holding over of the incumbents, I am at loss to imagine why the 26th section, authorizing the holding over until the election and qualification of successors was made a part of the organic law.

I have read the opinion or rather decision of Mr. Dimmick, Attorney General, addressed to the President of the Councils of Pittsburgh. He says: "As the term of office of the Mayor, Controller and Treasurer expire on the 1st day of February, 1875, and that of the members of Common Council and of the Select Council elected in December, 1873, expire in January, 1875, their successors under the new Constitution should be elected on the third Tuesday of February of the present year. The successors of the Select Council whose terms expire in January 1876, should be elected on the third Tuesday of February, 1875." No reasons are given for the decision. The question is purely judicial. Courts and Courts alone are clothed with authority to make judicial decisions. With all proper respect for the law officer of the Commonwealth, I must decline to accede to his judgment. Not only does the Constitution provide for the holding over of officers until the election and qualification of their successors, but an examination of the various acts of Assembly constituting the city charter reveals coincidence of expression upon the subject. The act of April 1, 1868, section 1, provides "that the officers of the city of Pittsburgh elected on the 10th day of December, 1867," * * * pursuant to the third section of the act of Assembly, entitled, "A further supplement to the acts incorporating the city of Pittsburgh," &c., approved April 6, 1867, shall hold their offices respectively until the 1st day of February, 1869, and until their successors shall be duly qualified. As before remarked, the usage which has prevailed in Pennsylvania from the institution of the Government should receive due weight in the consideration of this question. Heretofore, State, county and municipal officers were chosen a short time before the commencement of their official terms. Especially is this true of county and municipal officers. And I know of no good reason which could be adduced for a change in the policy and practice of people, a change tending to remove the public servant from the direct and fresh instruction of the public will.

The necessity for public servants being the representatives of the existing public sentiment is eminently demanded in local and ward officers, such as Councilmen. The nearer and closer the servant, whether public or private, is brought to the will of the principal, the better for all the interests involved. I conclude, therefore, that the municipal election of the third Tuesday of February, 1874, was premature. No vacancy could occur under the provisions of the city charter, or under the new Constitution, by electing the municipal officers on the third Tuesday of February, 1875. The definite term of the city officers was and is until the 1st of February, 1875, and in the concurring words of the city charter and the new Constitution, "And until their successors shall be duly qualified." This construction, in my judgment, is in harmony with the Constitution of the Commonwealth, the charter of the city, and with the theory of our institutions, that public servants shall be nearly and directly responsible to, and representative of, the public will.

It is true that cities and municipalities acting upon the suggestion of the Attorney General of the State have held elections, as in Pittsburgh on the third Tuesday of February, 1874. Whether the fact would have any effect on the judicial determination of this question is not within my province to imagine. I have given you my opinion upon the law of the case, as I have been enabled to see it.

[No signature was attached to the opinion, but it was doubtless unintentionally omitted.]

Mr. O'Keefe moved that the opinion be adopted, but it was referred to the Committee on the Legality of the City Election.

Mr. King submitted the following:

Resolved, That the taxpayers' friends in Councils deserve our thanks for their efforts to restore to the people the power of electing the City Attorney, Assessor, and other officers, which power has been wrongfully and insidiously usurped by the city ring for their own benefit.

Resolved, That the action of the ring in Councils in retaining on full pay and high salaries nine Road Commissioners, who do no work, after dismissing all the laborers because the residue of the Road appropriation is only sufficient to pay the Commissioners' salaries to the end of the year, deserves just condemnation. It is maintaining a battalion of commissioned officers with no private soldiers.

The resolutions were adopted.

Mr. Norton offered another resolution providing for the appointment of a committee to procure signatures to a petition requesting the Mayor to issue a proclamation for another city election.

Mr. Dunlap thought the resolution should be postponed until the next meeting, thus affording the public an opportunity to read in the newspapers the above opinion before appending their names to such petition.

Mr. O'Keefe alleged that all the residents of the city are a unit on the necessity for another city election, and he favored pushing the matter right along, and delaying nothing.

Judge Mellon thought the better way would be to wait the decision of the Mayor, either refusing or promising to issue the proclamation, but he had been informed that the Mayor had said if the opinion of Mr. Marshall should be against the validity of the election of February last he would, if asked, issue the necessary proclamation.

The resolution was adopted, and the chair appointed as the committee Messrs. Norton, McClain, Ewart, Baum and Maple, representing the East End, old city and the South Side.

On motion adjourned.

What Mayor Blackmore Says—He will Make No Movement Unless Directed by the Court.

Subsequent to the meeting of Taxpayers, a representative of the GAZETTE called on His Honor Mayor Blackmore, with a view of ascertaining his probable course of action. The gentleman, we regret to say, is not improving greatly in health, and has been confined to his home for a few days past. He received the caller with his usual courtesy, and the subject was introduced by a remark to the effect that the "Taxpayers, at their meeting this afternoon, seemed to think you would issue a proclamation, for another city election, if so requested."

"Well," was the reply, "that would depend on who made the request."

"They think, apparently, that a legal opinion from Mr. Marshall would be sufficient," said the writer.

"Well, it wouldn't by any means. I wouldn't do such a thing on any lawyer's advice. The request would have to come from a higher power. You remember, when the matter came up last spring, for some time I had held back, and there was a public pressure brought to bear to get me to issue a proclamation for that election—"

"I remember very well," interrupted the scribe. "There was considerable noise made then about it."

"Yes there was a great pressure, and I consulted the best legal counsel about it. Mr. Carnahan, you remember, advised me to issue the proclamation with a view that in the end the matter might be legally tested. We didn't care about deciding ourselves a question that ought to go to the Supreme Court, and so I issued the proclamation. That's the way the matter stands, and it can easily be tested by taking it into Court, but they can't shoulder it on me."

"Then I suppose you will do nothing unless by direction of the Court."

"That's it. If the Court issues a mandamus I will obey it at once."

"You mean, of course, either of the courts—that is, the county Courts or the Supreme?"

"Certainly; any Court order I will obey, although I think in the end the Supreme Court ought to decide it. There is time enough yet to get a decision, and thus settle the whole matter if they want to have it finally settled. I have done my duty, however, and will do no more, as I said, without specific directions from the Court."

The conversation now drifted into other channels, and after a brief interval, the interviewer, with thanks for the courtesy extended, withdrew.

THE HODGE SHOOTING AFFRAY.

The Arrest of the Alleged Assailant—He Gives $10,000 Bail and is Released—An Operation Performed on the Wounded Man—The Ball Extracted—His Condition Last Night—Hopes Entertained of His Recovery.

Since the shooting affray which took place at Weil's saloon on Tuesday night there has been much speculation as to who the party was who fired the shot. The police force has been much aroused and kept a constant lookout for any one who might have the appearance of a suspicious character. On Wednesday morning Frank Hodge, the wounded man, sent for Alderman Joseph Butler to call at his place of residence, that he desired to see him, but the magistrate did not receive the message until evening, and even then did not like to go to his sick room, as he (Butler) said he did not want to push himself into the matter before he was really wanted. He, however, visited Hodge on Wednesday night, when the wounded man stated that he knew who had done the shooting, and said "they call his name Billy Rafferty." From the discription given afterwards, the 'Squire was satisfied that the the party referred too was a son of Councilman Rafferty, of the Fifth ward. An information for felonous assault and battery was taken, and warrants were placed in the hands of a number of different officers for the arrest of Rafferty, but none of them succeeded in finding him, although since the tragedy he had made no attempt to conceal himself.

AN IDENTIFICATION.

Yesterday morning officers Shore and John H. Wellingmeyer, armed with a warrant, proceeded to Mr. Rafferty's feed store, on Wylie street, and as soon as their business was made known, he accompanied them to Alderman Butler's office. From there he was taken to the sick room of Hodge, and on reaching the bed side of the wounded man, the window blinds were raised and Rafferty shrank back, but when Hodge fixed his eyes upon him, he at once identified him as the man who had hit him on the head with a stool in Weil's saloon, and further stated that he was the same party who went out and returned in a few minutes and shot him in the head with a revolver.

The prisoner was then taken back to the 'Squire's office, where he stated that Hodge had made an attack upon him with a butcher-knife, and that whatever he (Rafferty) done was in self-defense. He neither affirmed nor denied having fired the shot, but claims to have been himself attacked, and that he was acting solely in self-defense.

Rafferty was then held to bail in the sum of $10,000 for his appearance this afternoon, but was not released until the opinion of the physicians had been given and as they thought Hodge unlikely to meet with sudden death, the bond was made out, with Peter O'Neil and Thomas Hunter as sureties, when the prisoner was released.

It is said Rafferty acknowledged that he had a fuss with the colored man in the saloon but he made no further admissions.

In the afternoon between two and three o'clock it was decided to learn the true condition of Hodge and for that purpose Drs. Pollock, McCoy and Gilmore were summoned to make an examination, and if possible, extract the ball from his head. When they went into his room they found him in as good a condition as could be expected, but complaining of his head causing him much pain. They at once proceeded to the performance of the task before them, and cut the scalp open about two inches, when Dr. Pollock began to search for the location of the ball with a probe. It was found in a few minutes just above and a little back of the right ear, and was promptly extracted. In the operation two pieces of the skull, each about the size of a pea, were removed, after which the wound was dressed and the patient put to bed.

HODGE'S CONDITION.

The physicians seem to entertain hopes of Hodge's recovery, and think if inflamation does not set in there will be but little difficulty in his case. At nine o'clock, when our reporter called to see the wounded man, he found him in a weak condition in consequence of the operation which he had undergone, but he was no worse than he was when the surgeons left the house. He was resting comfortably, and felt greatly relieved because the ball had been removed. Every possible effort is being made by his friends to render his situation as comfortable as possible.

On Wednesday night Hodge stated to Alderman Butler that Chief-of-Police Irwin entered Weil's saloon just after the shot had been fired, and before the smoke from the pistol had cleared away, yet he made no attempt to arrest the assailant.

In reply to the above, Chief Irwin stated yesterday that he did not know that it was Rafferty who had done the shooting, before the information had been made. He said the night of the difficulty he was in Jerry Coughlin's saloon, on Wylie avenue, with a couple of friends when he heard the report of a pistol, and rushing out, he went into Weil's saloon and there saw Hodge leaning against the door with the blood streaming from his wound and no one near him.

In all probability a preliminary hearing will take place this afternoon before 'Squire Butler.

Special Notice.

In addition to our business of manufacturing Superior Crackers, we are now putting up in 6 lb sacks a very superior article of Self Raising Flour and Buckwheat. The object of self raising flour is to save the housekeeper the trouble and expense and often uncertainty of using soda, acid or baking powder. With self-raising flour or buckwheat you do not require any yeast, soda, salt, acid or baking powder to produce Biscuit, Cake of any kind, Dough-nuts, Puddings, Pastry or Griddle Cakes. The self-raising is fully mixed with the flour by machinery, so that every particle of flour has its particle of self-raising. You can use your own receipts or those printed on every sack of the flour. With buckwheat, all that is required to produce the lightest of cakes, is to take our self-raising buckwheat flour and make a batter with water and bake at once on a hot griddle. With our Flour and Buckwheat, your Biscuit, &c., will always be the same. This flour, as well as our Superior Crackers and small Cakes, will be found at all the grocers; also at the factory, 91 and 93 Liberty street. We have on hand and for sale the largest stock of Buckwheat Flour in the city, which we will sell in bags as it comes from the mill.

S. S. MARVIN & Co.

Save 20 Per Cent.

Which you are sure to do, by buying your boots and shoes from R. Taggart, 129, Federal street, Allegheny.

THE COURTS.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

United States District Court.

(*Before Judge McCandless.*)

Conrad Reiter, bankrupt, Allegheny city. The sale of certain real estate of said bankrupt by the Sheriff of Armstrong county to Edward S. Golden, Esq., was approved, and the amount realized therefrom ordered to be appropriated to the payment of the mortgages of the Dollar Savings Bank, Jacob Henrice and Jonathan Lenz.

Hilands & King, bankrupts, Allegheny city. An order was made restraining the Real Estate Savings Bank, of Pittsburgh, for performing certain acts.

John Kenmier, bankrupts, Allegheny city. Petition of W. B. Rogers, Esq., for an allowance of services rendered the bankrupt in the proceedings, presented and referred to Register Shafer for examination and report.

McKnight, Porter & Co., bankrupts, Pittsburgh. An order was made restraining Patrick Kennedy and all other persons from interfering with the property of said debtors.

Thomas Taubman, bankrupt, Northumberland county. Bankrupt discharged from all his debts.

Charles Cocain vs. the steamboat "Kate Dickson," in admiralty. Libel in a contract for coal furnished, and attachment and monition ordered, returnable on the 8th proximo.

State Supreme Court.

[*Chief Justice Agnew, Presiding.*]

ADMISSION.

John W. Miller, of Butler county, was duly qualified and admitted to practice in this Court on motion of Jas. Bredin, Esq.

JUDGMENTS.

Orlando Reed's appeal from the order of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Crawford county, for the appointment of a keeper of the common jail. Appeal quashed.

Joseph Barnsdall et al. vs. Preston M. Guito. Error to the Common Pleas of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed.

Theodore B. Lashell vs. Horace Cullum and wife. Error to the Common Pleas of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed.

John Walford and wife vs. Dr. Will C. Herrington. Error to the Common Pleas of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed.

Simon P. Best vs. Hugh Keating. Error to the Common Pleas of Clarion county. Judgment affirmed.

Merchants' National Bank of Meadville, vs. George Shattuck, administrator of L. D. V. Shattuck. Error to the Common Pleas of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed.

The Union Petroleum Company vs. the Bliven Petroleum Company. Error to the Common Pleas of Venango county. Judgment affirmed. *Per Curiam.*

N. B. Lane and Geo. Nelson vs. Lydia Nelson. Error to the Common Pleas of Jefferson county. A reargument ordered before a full bench.

Cornwall & Hasson vs. Jno G. Mendenhall. Appeal from the decree of the Court of Common Pleas of Clarion county. In equity. Judgment affirmed.

Raydure vs. Smith. Error to the Common Pleas of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed. *Per Curiam.*

Commonwealth vs. Trout. Judgment affirmed. Opinion by Williams, J.

T. H. Brown vs. W. W. Reid. Error to the Common Pleas of Erie county. It is ordered that this case be re-argued. *Per Curiam.*

Alfred H. Bronson vs. Lazarus Silverman. Error to the Common Pleas Court of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed.

S. Newton Pettis vs. Alexander Power. Error to the Common Pleas Court of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed.

H. S. Southard vs. Albert Haywood et al. Error to the Court of Common Pleas of Erie county. Judgment affirmed.

Sterling Bonsall vs. Alex. M. Byers et al. Error to the District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

James D. Schooley vs. Ellen Holder et al. Error to the District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Mary Sullivan's appeal from a decree of distribution of the Court of Common Pleas of Crawford county, in the distribution of the proceeds of sale on writ of *fi. fa.* Decree affirmed and appeal dismissed, with costs to be paid by the appellant.

Peter Hutchinson vs. the School Directors of Indiana township. Error to the District Court of Allegheny county. This was an action to recover on certain bonds issued by the School Board during the war to secure volunteers. The judgment of the lower Court is affirmed.

Nelson Waters et al vs. E. G. Stackpole et al. Appeal from the decree of the Common Pleas Court of Crawford county. Decree of the lower Court affirmed, with costs, and the appeal is dismissed.

Henry M. Watts et al vs. McKean and Elk County Land and Improvement Company. Application for a re-argument declined.

John D. Dunkle and J. W. Guthrie's appeal in the matter of the Independent school district of Franklin township. Appeal dismissed at the costs of the appellant, and the order and decree of the Court affirmed.

James Baker vs. J. N. Seibening & Co. Error to the Common Pleas of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed.

Alonzo Mead and Isaac B. Gerow and wife. Error to the Common Pleas of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed.

The Younglove Architectural Iron Company vs. Crawford, Chamberlain & Co. Error to the Common Pleas Court of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Andrew Moore vs. John Black. Error to the Common Pleas Court of Erie county. Judgment affirmed.

John Speer et al. vs. Elizabeth Rowley. Error to the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed.

Thomas J. Cropley et al. vs. the City of Titusville. Error to the Court of Common Pleas of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed.

Barr et al. vs. Duncan. Error to the District Court of Allegheny county. Judgment reversed, and *procedendo* awarded. Opinion by Justice Williams.

First National Bank of Union Mills vs. H. Sheldon & Co. Error to the Common Pleas of Crawford county. Judgment affirmed.

ARGUMENTS.

Appeal of John B. Canfield. Argued by Patterson for appellant, and Dougherty contra.

Beeson vs. Brady. Argued by Donner and Boyle for plaintiff in error, and Plafford contra.

Mercer Mining and Manufacturing Co. vs. McKee, adm'r. Argued by Griffith for plaintiff in error, and McDermitt contra.

Murphy's appeal. Argued by Braden for plaintiff in error, and Wilson contra.

District Court.

(*Before Judges Ewing and White.*)

In the case of Andrews vs. P. C. & St. L. Railroad Company the plaintiff took a non-suit.

The case of Lanahan vs. Hook & Wise is on trial before Judge Ewing.

Trial List for To-day

Callow's adm'r. vs. Horner & Co.
Galway vs. Marshall.
Scully vs. Fowler.
Cochran vs. Alexander et al.
J. F. Cluley vs. John Phillips.
S. B. Cluley vs. same.
Moore vs. Price et al.
Holderman vs. McCreery.
Staib vs. Loutill.
Kaiser vs. Evans.
Blackmore vs. Gilmore.
Same vs. House.
Same vs. First National Bank of Brownsville.
Kraus vs. Voelker & Bittner.
Fricke vs. Brown.
Wilkinson et ux. vs. Pittsburgh & Ormsby Railway Co.
Daugherty vs. Finn.
Garney vs. Lloyd.
Mugelle vs. Burns et al.
McMeal vs. Exler.
Hanen vs. Balentine.
Cochran vs. Sims Adams et al.
Stockdale for use vs. Keys Bros.
Smith vs. Lindsay.
McKinney's assignees vs. Wood et al.
J. L. Brown vs. Wormser, Myers & Co.

Criminal Court.

(*Before Judge Sterrett.*)

Michael Sweeny, of the First ward, Pittsburgh, was convicted on two indictments for selling liquor without license.

H. Lutz pleaded *nolo contendere* to selling liquor on Sunday.

John Rosenberger pleaded *nolo contendere* to selling liquor to minors.

Henry Tool, Fourteenth ward, Pittsburgh, pleaded *nolo contendere* to selling without license.

In John Becker's case, charged with selling liquor on Sunday, a *nolle pros.* was allowed.

In Andrew Hawn's case, First ward, Pittsburgh, charged with selling liquor on Sunday, a *nolle pros.* was allowed, it appearing that the bill was found by mistake.

Dr. Samuel Floyd was acquitted of a charge of felonious assault on Dr. James A. Hunter.

Samuel Bruce and Chas. Bell, indicted for the larceny of a watch belonging to W. W. Patterson, are on trial. The defendants are colored men.

A motion for a new trial was made in the Ross riot case, the ground being after discovered evidence, by which it can be shown as alleged, that Lofinks were not concerned in any riot.

The case of Lawrence Quitter, indicted for selling liquor to minors, is on trial.

Trial List for To-day.

Commonwealth vs.

H. Lutz.
Charles Bombach.
John Herner.
Lawrence Quitter.
Chas. Maloy.
Timothy Barrett.
James Riley.
Thos. Scanlon.
Mich Steiner.
Barbara Stein.
J. Keifer.
Anthony Happy.
Patrick Curry.
Morris Freet.
Henry Tool.
Thos. Kerr.
Herman Long.
Harry Sayers.
Jesse Johnston.
Charles McCartney.
Robert Fife.
W. H. Brooks.
Chas. Horback.
James Delaney.
Mary Kane.
—— Moore.
Levi Boyd.
Eugene Schultz.
Wm. Eachman.
Alex. Tomlinson.
John Hulehan.
Michael Barrett.
G. W. Auber.
G. Copeland.
Fred Schumaker.
Michael Murray.
Gotleib Getz.
Wm. Fairburn.
Wm. Longdon.
John Graff.
C. Davis.
John Krorshen.

Common Pleas Court.

[*Before Judges Stowe and Collier.*]

R. Krahenbihl vs. Barton & Keeney. Record amended by adding the name of Elizabeth Krahenbihl as plaintiff in the above case.

Kreeling vs. Hare, master. Verdict for plaintiff for $700, subject to a question of law reserved.

Dalzell & Son vs. Jacob Bowers. Verdict for plaintiff for $244.16.

David Moor vs. George Froelich. Verdict for plaintiff for $216.75.

Emma Smith petitioned for allowance of her separate earnings under act of Assembly. Petition ordered to be marked "filed and recorded."

James H. Porte, Esq., was appointed Commissioner to inquire into the alleged lunacy of George F. Hill.

No jury trials to-day, the list having been exhausted.

United States Circuit Court.

(*Before Judge McKennan.*)

The case of the Grover & Baker Sewing Machine Company vs. Geo. Hess was resumed yesterday morning. The parties announced that a compromise had been effected and the case withdrawn.

The case of the Government against Robert E. Devore, indicted for passing counterfeit money, was next taken up. It is alleged that the accused passed two five dollar Treasury notes at Parker's Landing. The case was submitted to the jury, when the Court adjourned until this morning.

On motion of James Bredin, Esq., John W. Miller, of Butler county, was sworn and duly admitted to practice in the United States Courts.

"SUBTERANEAN FIRES."

Pittsburgh's Calamity—Condolence from Distant Friends—Excitement Everywhere but at Home—The Vivid Imaginings of Veracious Correspondents—The Facts.

For several days past there have been statements going the rounds of the city concerning a coal bank fire at Herron's Hill, but few of our people, in their wildest imaginings, reached the exaggerations which have been enlivening the columns of many of our exchanges. One veracious journal, in Milwaukee, devotes considerable space to a description of the sad calamity—which has overtaken Pittsburgh, "the city of coal," and gives a most graphic picture of the subterranean fires which threaten the destruction of the city, "the flames from which can be seen miles away, as they burst through the ground," and the general consternation of the people. In Chicago the *Tribune*, not to be outdone, comes out with a "special," set off with electric headlines, and backs the sensation with an editorial of condolence for unhappy Pittsburgh. Other exchanges follow in a somewhat similar strain," and the "Iron City" gets an amount of advertising and obituary notices that would have delighted Barnum.

While folks away from home however are thus perturbed about us, here, the people generally have thus far preserved a goodly degree of serenity, and have not yet commenced to pack up, with a view of disappearing from a locality so doomed. The matter, however, engaged sufficient attention to induce the Road Committee to visit Herron's Hill, the scene of the subterranean warmth, and found it to be about as small a matter as could well be conceived to raise such a smoke. In short they found the fire covering perhaps a space of two hundred feet square, and burning on the surface where the coal cropped out. The fire is generally confined to the level plat between Thirty-third street and the foot of the hill, and extends but a few feet into the hill. The Committee after viewing the landscape over, saw that a few hours vigorous digging would serve to put an extinguisher upon the "subterranean" by cutting off its source of supply, and City Engineer Dempster was instructed to have the work done, which will be entered upon to-day.

In this connection the following letter will be found of interest:

Mrs. Swisshelm has Something to Say About This Underground Warmth—Old Stories Revived—A Word of Consolation to the Timid.

CHICAGO, November 18, 1874.

To the Editors of the Pittsburgh Gazette:

Pittsburghers, at a distance from home, are alarmed by accounts of subterranean fires under the higher parts of the city, and surprised to find them attributed to a carelessness on the part of public officers, which is quite unaccountable to ordinary comprehension. Now, superintending such a great public interest as our Water Works, who would permit a few ignorant laborers to ignite a coal field in order that they might warm their dinners, would be a strange kind of public servant; but can it be that these fires, if they exist, have any such recent origin? Are not these the old fires, or is it not the one old fire with which Pittsburghers have been familiar since the infancy of the city? Since my earliest recollections the fire under East Liberty hill has been one of the local wonders of the place. The oldest inhabitant could give no assured account of its origin, and many are the speculations I have heard about it. Some said that coal diggers, in a pit, had made a fire to warm their dinners and so ignited the mass; others, that the Indians had fired it. I have often seen the opening a little above the then village of Liberty, which was pointed out as the mouth of this old pit; have many a time and oft seen the fires at night bursting up through the ground, and the steam and smoke arising through the day. The hill always looked barren, and people said the grass was dried out by the fire; and there were stories, which seemed to be authentic, of cows, horses and even men falling through the undermined surface and disappearing forever.

The existence of this fire was so well known, and it was so generally understood that the coal hid there burning, must extend under all the high land between the East Liberty flat and the rivers, that it is unaccountable any set of engineers should have undertaken to make extensive excavations in that region without calculating the probable consequences of opening air passages into the smouldering mass. What great injury can come from this fire, it is impossible to guess, but folks who have been living quietly above it for sixty or eighty years, might as well sleep on until the catastrophe comes. According to geologists and theologians we are all living on a crust which covers a lake of fire fathomless in depth, and your little affair can hardly be more than six feet thick. If the surface caves in there will not be much of a fall, but as your smouldering coal is only turning into coke, it will be quite as durable a foundation as the original deposit. Now that you have begun digging down to it, would it not be a good idea to sink shafts all over the hill for the escape of the smoke and gasses from your large coke ovens? Treat it sceintifically, and a thousand years hence your descendants may be mining for coke, every one sinking a shaft in his own yard, for it is probable there is sufficient rock above the coal to prevent caving.

JANE GREY SWISSHELM.

Liquor Dealers.

There will be a meeting of the Liquor Dealers Protective Association at their hall on Fifth avenue, on Friday, November 30, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at which officers for the ensuing year will be elected. All should attend.

M. RUSH,
President.

Cheap Boots and Shoes.

The cheapest boots and shoes in the two cities are sold by R. Taggart, 129, Federal street, Allegheny.

POLICE DISMISSALS.

The Efficiency of the Force Exemplified.

Acting Mayor McMasters yesterday dismissed M. C. Hardwig, a sub-policeman, on a charge of taking three dollars belonging to a prisoner. He stated that he had taken the money with the intention of giving it back, but failed to do so until after the charge was preferred against him. He had once before been dismissed from the force, and only recently reinstated. This discharge will likely wind him up, but it's hard to tell, as a Police Committeeman asserted the other night that officers are dismissed one day and reinstated the next.

Officer Jno. B. Morris was also discharged for drunkenness while on duty. Two citizens found him navigating under an immense lead of "bug juice" and turned him over to officer Yeager, who brought him to the Central Station house. On Wednesday night our reporter saw two policemen whom he thought considerably "how come ye so." Is it any wonder so many burglaries, highway robberies and murders are committed when the city police force is in such a condition as the above state of affairs would seem to indicate? The Acting Mayor, however, deserves credit for his prompt action in so summarily disposing of the two gentlemen referred to.

A BRIEF SESSION.

The Howard-Lowry Investigation—Measurement of the Pumping House Foundations.

Last night the Howard-Lowry Investigating Committee which has for quite a number of weeks been in a quiescent state, resumed operations by holding a meeting in the city clerk's office. Plaintiff and defendant were both present, and all the faces ranged around Clerk Morrow's table were very familiar and beamed with the same expectant expression that was wont to illuminate them in the days of yore. Mr. Rask, who was appointed to measure the work that has been done on the pumping house foundations, presented his report, and the committee after looking at it decided to adjourn until next Tuesday afternoon and then meet to compare the plans and measurement of Mr. Rask with the plans of Mr. Lowry, and with the evidence which Mr. Howard has already brought before the committee. The latter gentleman wished the report of Mr. Rask read so that he can do a little figuring himself before the next session, but the committee declined to make it public until they have inspected it. The investigation was then adjourned.

A "GOOD BARKER."

A Little Commotion in the Basement of the Court House Yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon, our good humored friend, Detective Pete Dressler, was in company with two reporters of the morning press, when the conversation turned upon the number of murders which had taken place in our city. In an air of humor, the Detective drew from his pocket a beautiful Derringer revolver, which he desired to exhibit, when one of the reporters made the remark that he did not think the cylinder containing the cartridges would remain stationary when the hammer was drawn. Not wishing that anything should be said against the weapon, Mr. D. proceeded to show its perfect qualities and partially raised the hammer when his thumb slipped off, discharging a barrel, which made the "welkin" ring, and very soon attracted a large crowd. The detective thought his revolver was a good "barker," but it barked rather unexpectedly to him that time. The joke created a hearty laugh, and Mr. D. resolved not to fool unnecessarily with fire-arms in the future.

If any of the school boards have 8 per cent bonds for sale, they can find customers by advertising in the Gazette. The writer of this wishes to in v est in them, $2,000. Nov. 1874.

BREVITIES.

Paragraphic Pencilings of Passing Events.

····Business at the glass works is brisk.

····The Supreme Court will adjourn to-morrow.

····There are five Sundays in this November.

····Contractors are hurrying up to finish work before the season closes.

····Deputy Mayor Barker, of the South Side, is confined to his room from an attack of quinsy.

····It is expected that the Supreme Court will render a decision to-morrow in the Ortwein case.

····A Connellsville firm was admitted to membership in the Corn and Produce Exchange yesterday.

····The bar in the Monongahela river at the mouth of the Try street sewer is about to be removed by dredge boats.

····A necktie fair and festival will be given in the Carson street M. E. church, beginning on Thanksgiving day.

····The Allegheny fire alarm bell and striking apparatus arrived yesterday afternoon, and will be put in position as soon as possible.

····Yesterday afternoon the statue of St. John was placed in the niche in the south-east corner of the Cathedral, on the Fifth avenue side.

····The brass foundry of John Fitzsimmons, on First street, South Side, furnished 35,000 pounds of brass castings to the new water works.

····A large meeting was held at the School House, on East street, Allegheny, on Wednesday evening, in opposition to the extension of Howard street.

····Deputy Sheriff Fife was relieved of fifty-eight dollars by a pick-pocket at the Sheriff's sale of Schultz's saloon, on Carson Street, South Side, Thursday.

····Joseph Laufne, who now reposes in the county jail has no less than five charges preferred him viz: a violation of the livery act, larceny, larceny by bailee, perjury and forgery.

····It is said D. D. Williams who was found guilty on the first count of the indictment, charging him with embezzling the funds of the Conneautville Bank, will be sentenced to-day.

····The Committee on Railroads of Allegheny Councils met last evening and directed clerk White to notify the West Penn Railroad Company to place a flagman at their crossing on Sycamore street.

····A man named Livingstone, an employe of the Fort Wayne railroad, was hit under the chin yesterday afternoon by an iron rod while at work on Pennsylvania avenue, and his "chopper" badly bruised.

····The Ordinance Committee of Councils will meet this afternoon to consider the cattle and peanut ordinances; also the ordinance annulling the contract between the city and the Pennsylvania Railroad.

····Benjamin Chester brought suit before U. S. Commissioner McCandless yesterday, against the steamboat "Kate Dickson," for wages due him as chief engineer. A summons was issued returnable on the 21st.

····Andrew McDonald and J. M. Dunlap were arrested as suspicious persons by Detectives Pender and Messner. They had in their possession, and were endeavoring to dispose of cheaply, a set of silver mounted harness.

····A pupil in the Fourth ward school, Allegheny, while playing "stretch the line" at recess yesterday morning was stretched out on the pavement as the line swung around. He was hurt considerably but not seriously.

····Farmers report that the long continued warm weather the present Fall has had the effect to swell the buds of the trees like in the Spring of the year. In some localities fruit trees have even blossomed out in full bloom.

····Henry Meyers, of No. 85 Third avenue, was arrested by Detective Joe Cupples to answer charges of keeping a bawdy house and selling liquor on Sunday, preferred by Maggie Brown. He gave bail for a hearing this morning.

····Officers Speedy and Kennedy last night arrested Wm. Boyle and Henry White, on suspicion of having stolen a gold ring from "Pug" Oliver. "Pug" only got out of the workhouse yesterday morning and went into the Central station house again last night.

····If we are to judge from the experience of the liquor men in the Criminal court, last Saturday, the fines imposed to-morrow will realize a handsome profit to the county, which will be forth-coming from that class, as a number will be called up for sentence.

····An Allegheny tailor reports his fall trade better in some respects than ever before. The demand for fine overcoats and fine winter suits he says is unusually good, but that nothing at all is doing in medium goods, and garments of that quality are seldom ordered.

····Captain Irwin, of the Central Police station, has in his possession a coat, half military in style, and apparently belonging to a member of a brass band corps, and a shirt. They were picked up on the street yesterday by a policeman, and the owner can have them by calling.

····Last evening about half-past five o'clock, a horse attached to a buggy ran off on the Allegheny suspension bridge and at Duquesne Way the buggy was caught between a wagon and lamp post and badly damaged. The horse was stopped before any further destruction was done.

····Retail dealers in coal begin to wear smiling faces again. The moderate weather that has prevailed since the commencement of Fall has interfered seriously with their business, but the atmosphere begins to assume a raw and chilly feeling, which betokens the approach of a cold snap.

····Schnelling & Co., of Temperanceville, are accused of using the mineral water bottles bearing the trade mark of the Birmingham Bottling Company. John Nusser, a representative of the Company, made an information against them before Alderman Krehan yesterday, and a search warrant was issued.

····At the meeting yesterday evening of the Committee on Wooden Buildings ordinances were ordered granting Herman Beyer the privilege of erecting a frame building in the rear of his residence, on the corner of Sidney and Twenty-third streets, Twenty-fifth ward, and a frame building on Carson street, Thirty-third ward.

····The man who said he was knocked down early yesterday morning at the corner of Twelfth and Pike streets and robbed of $234, and who gave his name as Dr. W. Stewart, turns out to be somewhat of a fraud. His case was investigated at the hearing yesterday by the Acting Mayor, and being found to have a false bottom, he was sent to jail.

····The will of the late John Brooks, of Allegheny, was probated yesterday morning. Decedent bequeaths all his property, both personal and real, to his wife during her natural life. At her death the estate is to be divided among the children—five in number. George M. Draber is named executor, and the document is dated Nov. 14, 1874.

····The Democratic legislators elect from Allegheny county held a caucus yesterday afternoon at the St. Charles Hotel, but nothing of importance characterized their proceedings. Matters and things, consisting principally of a canvass of the merits of candidates for various positions, were talked over, when the conference adjourned to meet again on the 28th inst.

····The Committee of Canvassers to procure subscriptions for the Chamber of Commerce of Pittsburgh will meet to report to-day (Friday) at the Germania Bank building, Wood street, at 3 o'clock P. M., sharp. Any member of the Committee having a lists, who cannot be present, will please send them to J. D. Weeks, Esq., 97 Wood street, or to the meeting at the bank before three o'clock.

····A dispatch was received at the Mayor's office last evening from J. W. Schmitt, Superintendent of the police of Cleveland, to arrest a certain Frank Bennett, who is said to have come here, and who is charged in Cleveland with the larceny of watches and jewelry. Bennett is described as a man five feet ten inchs high, wears short, black hair and a black mustache. The police are looking for him.

····A couple of officers went out to Shaler township a day or two ago to arrest Peter Jacobs for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, and when they were about to take their man into custody he cried out: "I didn't murder him; I didn't kill him; I'm no murderer." What seems strange is, this is the man who was in the wagon with Walz, who was murdered on the Perrysville road, and is known as the "little tinker."

····Civil suits were instituted yesterday, before the Acting Mayor, by Archy Buchanan, Monongahela Wharf master, charging N. J. Keller & Co., Gwinner, Williams & Stoltzenbach, and Reese, Williams & Co., with obstructing the channel of the Monongahela river. Summonses were issued for a hearing on Tuesday afternoon next. The principal witnesses in the case are three prominent coal merchants, Messrs. Addison Lysle, Madison Bailey and N. J. Bigley.

····To one of the freight trains which arrived in Altoona from Pittsburgh, a day or two since, there was attached a poultry car which was laden with turkeys, geese, ducks, chickens, etc. Whilst out on the road the conductor discovered that a woman was also locked in the car, but having no key with which to open the door, he was unable to release her until the arrival of the train in this city. It was not explained how she got into the car, at what point, or what her name was. The ride must necessarily have been far from pleasant.

····"The Hole," on Washington street, was almost torn down yesterday. During the day the inmates vacated it, but after dusk they again moved into what was left of it, the building being nearly demolished, the floors gone, wide seams in the sides and large holes in the roof. The police made their final raid on it last night and arrested Kate McCauley and Mrs. McBride, each having two children. The Central Station house covered them until this morning, but what abode they will find to-day they know not themselves, unless the Acting Mayor provides them with one.

Ladies Watches.

The largest assortment of Ladies Gold Watches in the city to be found at Geo. W. Biggs, No. 159 Smithfield street, four doors above Sixth avenue.

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N. E. Libby and wife, Brady's Bend.
W. C. Snyder, Uniont'n
J. R. Allen, Philadelp'a
S. B. Rowley, do
A. H. Darling, do
W. S. Reyburn, do
A. V. Marven, do
W. G. Rennier, do
L. Schamberg, do
S. M. Felton, do
Miss Felton, do
Mrs. Burt, do
A. S. Tomkinson, do
C. D. Myers and w, Lock Haven.
M. McCulloch, Huntingdon.
D. S. Wallace and wife, Freeport.
D. A. Cunningham and wife, Freeport.
J. H. Whitson, Indiana.
G. P. Hays, Washington
B. H. Henderson, Sharon
J. W. Hurn, Beaver.
W. C. Thirkield and w, Franklin.
J. H. Dysart, Altoona.
Mrs. M. A. Mason, Brookville.
M. A. Mason, Brookville.
J. V. Cooling and wife, Louisville.
W. F. Brown and wife, Canonsburg.
M. B. Brown, Mansfield.
F. D. McClelland, Erie.
Miss Grant, Kittanning.
E. J. D. Naramore, Meadville.
B. F. Porter, Meadville.

ST. CLAIR HOTEL.

D. J. Williams, Bridgep't
J. Harbison, Phila.
J. H. Beck, Bellefonte.
B. Vensel, St. Petersb'g.
E. Ritts, do
M. Logue, do
A. McDaniels, Beaver.
Mrs. Truby, Catfish.
E. Bennett, Alliance, O.
E. Kitzmiller, Canton, O.
J. E. Cass & w., Reading.
O. H. P. McCoy, Atchison
J. Williaman, Smithville.
C. Barthoold, Petrolia.
J. Roberts Montecello.
W. Wick, Butler.

CENTRAL HOTEL.

W. S. Boyd, Phila.
A. S. Tomkinson, do
J. F. Gray, Uniontown.
S. Jackson, do
Mrs. King &d. do
G. C. Culett, Unionville.
J. Wallace, Waynesburg
N. W. Bope, Carrolton.
J. W. Duncan, Blairsv'
E. W. Powers, Youngst'n
F. Rhoades, Somerset.
E. T. Beatty, Greenville.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following deeds were filed for record since our last report:

James Hoag, Sr., and wife, to Wm. Finnemyer, May 1, 1874; lot in Seventh ward, Allegheny, in James Hoag's plan, 22x118 feet, with buildings. Price.....$560

Barbara Sanders to the New York & Cleveland Gas Coal Company, October 5, 1874; the coal underlying a tract of land in Wilkins township. Price.....$1,600

George T. Oliver et ux. et al. to James J. Booth October 8, 1874; lot in the Fourteenth ward, city, 45x155 feet. Price.....$1,800

Stephen Jarvis et ux. to Bernard McShane, September 30, 1874; two lots in Robert Robb's plan, Thirty-sixth ward, city, 24x300 feet, with buildings. Price.....$500

Same as above to Terence McShane, September 20, 1874; four lots in same plan as above, each lot 24x200 feet, with buildings. Price $1,000

Daniel McGurk et ux. to Emily E. Robinson, Sept. 2, 1874; lot in Daniel McGurk's plan, Thirty-seventh ward, city, 25x125 feet, with improvements. Price $1,000

Thomas Moreland et ux. et al. to John Johnson, July 10, 1872; lot in E. H. Negley's plan, Nineteenth ward, city, 24x119 feet. Price . . $550

FIRE DEPARTMENT INSPECTION.

Annual Parade—Protest Against Reducing Wages.

The annual public inspection of the Fire Department will take place on Thanksgiving Day. Chief White has reported to the Board that it is proposed among the men of the various companies, by a contribution of fifty cents each, to engage a band for the occasion, and in view of this a short parade is talked of. The following route of procession has been suggested: Form on Water street, right resting on Smithfield; along Smithfield to Third avenue; along Third avenue to Grant; along Grant to Fifth avenue; along Fifth avenue to Logan; along Logan to Wylie avenue; along Wylie avenue to Sixth avenue; along Sixth avenue to Smithfield street; along Smithfield to Fifth avenue; along Fifth avenue to Wood street, and dismiss.

The Board, at a special meeting last evening, instructed the President to communicate with Councils, protesting against a reduction in the rates of pay of the firemen.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

The Meeting To-day—A Full Attendance Desirable.

This afternoon another meeting to further the project for a Chamber of Commerce for the business community, will be held at the Germania Bank building, and it is desirable that all favorable to the proposed enterprise be in attendance. The Canvassing Committee has been at work, and has succeeded beyond expectations, so that there is now a goodly prospect for a vigorous organization. The meeting will be held at three o'clock. The reports from the Canvassing Committee will first be read, after which, if deemed advisable, an organization will be entered into at once. We hope there will be a very full turnout.

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Hugus & Hacke are now offering a large assortment of dress goods in all the new shades and materials at greatly reduced prices, including

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ADDITIONAL RIVER NEWS.

CINCINNATI, November 19.—River three feet four inches and rising.

ST. LOUIS, November 19.—Arrived—Mollie Moore and Susie Silver, New Orleans; Grand Tower, Memphis; Rob Roy, Keokuk. Departed—City of Vicksburg. River rising slowly. Rain fell all day; brisk snow storm this evening.

EVANSVILLE, November 19.—Cloudy, with a light sprinkle of rain this evening; mercury 39 to 45. River rose 1-10 of a foot; 18 inches on the gauge. Port list: Down—John S. Bransford, 11:30 P. M.; Dick Johnson, 3. Up—Geo. Roberts, 8 A. M.; B. H. Cooke, 2 P. M. Business light.

LOUISVILLE, November 19.—River falling again, with 27 inches in the canal. Clear and cold.

NEW ORLEANS, November 19.—Arrived—Commonwealth, St. Louis. Departed—John F. Tolle, last night, St. Louis; Mary Alice and barges and Belle Lee, Memphis, to-day. Cloudy, but pleasant.

CAIRO, November 19.—Arrived—Future City, St. Louis, 6 P. M.; Ste. Genevieve, St. Louis, 7; St. Joe, Memphis, 7. Departed—Caragon, St. Louis, noon; Julia, St. Louis, 2 P. M.; Helena, Vicksburg. River 6 feet 1 inch and rising. Raining; mercury 44.

ADDITIONAL MARKETS.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO, November 19.—Cattle; receipts 1,600 head; market steady and prices firm but unchanged; stockers $2,75@3,85; cows and good shipping steers $3,12½@4,80; shipments 1,340. Hogs: receipts nearly 50,000 head; market steady and firm for good at $6@10; lower for common; common to fair $6¼@6½c; good to choice 6,75@7,10; extra to prime $7,25 7,35; the market was active throughout, and closed with the pens pretty well cleared; shipments 9,340. Sheep: receipts 700; market quiet and steady; sales at $3,70@4,70.

BALTIMORE, November 19.—Cattle: market opened active but firm, and closed rather slow; very best 5½@6¼c; first quality 4¼@5½c; medium or good fair quality 3@4¼c; receipts 4,508 head; sales 2,789. Hogs: market firm and in good demand at 9@9½c; extra 9¾c; receipts 8,675 head. Sheep: market dull at 4@5¼c; receipts 3,568 head.

MARRIED.

DOWDLE—LEWIS—On Wednesday evening, November 18, 1874, at the residence of the bride's parents, Braddock's Fields, by the Rev. James L. Darey, Mr. SAMUEL DOWDLE, of Allegheny City, and Miss MARY J. LEWIS, daughter of Wm. H. Lewis, Esq.

CARMACK—WOOD—On Wednesday morning, November 18, 1874, at the residence of the bride's parents, Brownsville, Pa., by the Rev. W. W. McLane, A. A. CARMACK and LUCY S. V. WOOD, both of Brownsville.

DIED.

DOLAN—On Wednesday, November 18th, at 2 o'clock P. M., MARY GRACE, daughter of John and Bridget Dolan, aged 17 years.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her parents, Thirty-fifth ward, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

ROE—November 18th, at 11 A. M., ELIZA ROE, youngest daughter of John and Elizabeth Roe, late of Sheffield, England, in the 3d year of her age.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her parents, Spruce alley, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets, THIS AFTERNOON at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

ARBUTHNOT—On Wednesday, November 18, 1874, at 5 o'clock P. M., MARGARET ELLEN, daughter of James and Rebecca Arbuthnot, aged 4 years.

Funeral to take place from the residence of the parents, 30th street, on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, Nov. 20th, at 2 o'clock.

MACFARLANE—On Sunday, November 15th, 1874, at 12 o'clock M., at Colorado Springs, Colorado, JOHN F. MACFARLANE, eldest son of I. G. and Margaret Macfarlane, of Wilkinsburg, Allegheny county, aged 29 years.

Notice of funeral will be given hereafter.

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J. L. MARSHALL,
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BUSINESS CHANGES.

LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.—A LIMIted partnership has been formed as of October 1st, A. D. 1874, between the undersigned under the laws of Pennsylvania relating thereto, and notice is hereby given:

1st. That the name of the firm under which such partnership is to be conducted is WILSON, WALKER & CO.

2d. That the general nature of the business intended to be transacted by said partnership is the manufacture of Iron in all its branches.

3d. That the names of the General Partners of said partnership, and their respective places of residence, are as follows, viz:
JOHN T. WILSON, Pittsburgh, Pa.,
JAMES R. WILSON, Allegheny City, Pa.,
JOHN WALKER, Allegheny City, Pa.,
ALEX. LEGGATE, Allegheny City, Pa.

4th. That the Special Partner in said partnership is ANDREW CARNEGIE, of New York City, and the amount of capital contributed by him to the common stock is sixty thousand dollars.

5th. That the period at which this partnership commences is the first day of October, A. D. 1874, and the period at which it will terminate is the 1st day of October, A. D. 1884.

JOHN T. WILSON,
JAMES R. WILSON,
ALEXANDER LEGGATE,
JOHN WALKER,
General Partners.
ANDREW CARNEGIE,
Special Partner.
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AUCTION SALES.

AT AUCTION—500 CASES OF PRIME seasonable BOOTS, SHOES, BROGANS AND RUBBERS, at auction, to the Trade, on FRIDAY MORNING, November 20th, at 10 o'clock, at J. M. HARTFORD'S WHOLESALE AUCTION HOUSE, No. 99 Wood street.
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